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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

January 31st, 1885.

Hon. A. Loudon Snowden

Superintendent

Sir;

I have the honor to transmit herewith, my Official Bond properly executed as Coiner of this Mint, with Sureties James S. Watson and Frank H. Murphy as Sureties.

Very Respectfully

Your Ob't Servant

William L. Steel

Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

February 11th 5

Hon. H. Landon Snowden
Superintendent
Sir -

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statute, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Wm. J. P. Gregory as an Adjuster @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Wm Esther Patton dropped from rolls -

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. E. Stee[illegible]
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

February 14th, 1881

Hon. A. London Snowden
Superintendent
Sir:

I have the honor to enclose the resignation of Miss Maggie R. Sloan as an Adjuster, to take effect upon the 13th inst.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Stack
Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

February 16th, 1865.

Hon. A. London Snowden
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Lizzie Bance as an Adjuster @ 1.75 per Diem, to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Miss D. McCormick resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. Sharp Cooper
Coiner

February 19 85

Miss Maggie R Sloan

Miss Sloan:-

You will please report here at your earliest convenience to receive amount of pay due you

Very Respectfully

Wm S. Steel

Corner

per B.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

February 20th 5

Hon. A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to inform You that William Patton, an Annealer in this Department, died this morning.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servant
W. A. Stuck
Coiner

Coinage

February 25th 5

Madam.

The following extract of Section 48 of the Revised Statutes is hereby quoted for your information, relative to the annual trial of the gold and silver coinage of the Mints of the United States; to wit:-

"That if it shall appear by such examination and test that the coins do not differ from the standard weight by a greater quantity than is allowed by law, the trial shall be considered and reported as satisfactory: but if any greater deviation from the legal standard or weight shall appear, the fact shall be certified to the President of the United States; and if on a view of the circumstances of the case, he shall so decide, the officer implicated in the error shall be thenceforward disqualified from holding his respective office."

You will readily understand the direct bearing this provision of law has on the work executed in the rooms under your charge; and in view of the stringent character of the law, and the responsibilities an officer is under, I would respectfully request that you impress upon the ladies adjusting coins the great importance and responsibility attending their individual acts whilst in the discharge of their duty. If by carelessness, or any other cause, a planchet not within the legal tolerance should find its way into the pyx, it would rise up in judgment at the annual Assay, and not only reflect seriously upon yourself and those under you, but would subject the Coiner to the penalties prescribed in the law.

For the purpose of maintaining the high reputation this institution has enjoyed for many years, and if it be possible, ensuring greater accuracy, the following rules

are established for the future government of the room under your charge.

1st: When adjusting, is being performed, no conversation is to be indulged in by Adjusters, calculated to interfere with the work.

2nd: Newspapers and books will not be [illegible] at the table while adjusting is in progress

3rd: Ladies engaged in sewing will not permitted to approach or converse with adjusters at work.

4th: Adjusters whilst at work must not enter into conversation with other employees, who must be prevented from approaching the adjusting table.

The strict observance of these rules is committed to you, and you will see that they are carried out. Persons not employed in your room must be

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prohibited from conversing with those in it, whilst in the discharge of their duty.

The severe tests made at the last annual Assay, where the 100 dth of a grain on a silver piece, from the Carson City Mint, was reported to the President, renders it of the highest importance that, if possible, we add to the checks already used to insure rigid conformity to the standards and tolerance presented by Law.

I have no doubt that every adjuster under you will be glad to coöperate with the officers in attaining the objects in view.

Very respectfully Yours

W. A Leach

Coiner.

Approved.

Superintendent.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

February 28th 1873

Hon A. Louden Snowden
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provision of Section # 3514 Revised Statute, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Josephine Howard, to be an Assistant Die Sinker, to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Miss Lorenza Schmitz resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stealy
Coiner

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February 28th 51

Hon. A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statute, I have the honor to nominate from the General Department, and recommend the appointment of John T. Webster as an Annealer @ $3. per diem to take effect upon confirmation, vice William Patton deceased

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stee[illegible]
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

March 13th 1885

Hon A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent

Sir,

In accordance with the provision of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Annie M. Scott as an Adjuster @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Miss S. A Chadwick resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. S. Stell
Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

19th March 1885

Hon A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent

Sir

In reply to your favor of this date, asking for an estimate as to the amount of labor, and steam, and wear of machinery, in striking 500 medals, half dollar size to a hair line, I have to state, that to produce the medals named will cost about six (6) dollars. estimated as follows.

Labor of two persons 1½ hours each	1.00
Use of machinery &c	5.00
	$6.00

or .00 1/2 mills each piece.

Very Respectfully
A. S. Heaton
Coiner

or 1 2/3 per 1000 pcs

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

March 21st 1855

Wm. L. Whitney Esq
President, Miners Nat'l Bank.

Dear Sir;

I have the honor to state in reply to your communication of yesterday that Trade dollars are received here in sums of $100. and upwards, and paid for in Standard Silver Dollars and are worth to day about .83½ ¢ each.

The usual mode is to ship by Express.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. S. Stewart
Coiner

Not allowed or received on presentation and withdrawn at once.

Filed

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

March 30th 5

Hon. A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mr Dance Beale, as assistant to the Coiner to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant,
J. D. Stael
Coiner.

This letter not received and withdrawn.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

May 30th 1865

Hon A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent
Sir;

In forwarding the nomination of Mr James Beale for the position of Assistant to the Coiner, I have the honor to state, that for the last two months Mr Beale has so satisfactorially performed the duties of assistant, that I am thoroughly convinced that he is fully competant to fill the position.

Mr Beale served during the war of the Rebellion as a private Soldier in the 12th Mass Volunteers (the celebrated Wadsworth Regiment,) and was twice badly wounded, once very severely indeed, He is well known to the Old Soldiers and best citizens of Massachusetts,

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and well as very generally throughout the Country as one of the best informed men on the Coin question.

He comes to me strongly recommended by Col Jas P. Nicholson, the Recorder of the M. O. of the Loyal Legion, the late Coiner, Col O. C. Comstock, Col R. P. Dechert City Controller, and other equally well known citizens.

Trusting that you will approve this appointment.

I am, very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. E. Steel
Coiner.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

April 2 1885.

To the Honorable Judge
of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and Quarter Sessions
for the County of Philadelphia.

Sir:-

Mr. Alexander Crawford, an employé of this Department of the Mint, has been summoned as a Petit Juror in your Court.

I have the honor to request that he may be excused from serving, as his services here are very valuable, and it will put us to an inconvenience should he be away.

Trusting that you may be able to grant this request,

I am

Very Respectfully
Your Ob'd't. Servant

W. E. Stelle
Coiner

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AT PHILADELPHIA.

April 7 1885

H. M. Husband Esq
Knowles Mt

Dear Sir

By request of Mr. A. E. Borbyshell I forward you a gold dollar of this years coinage.

I am
Very Respectfully
Your Obt Svt
U. S. Steel
Coiner
per B.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA.

April 21st 1885

B. H. Collins Esq
Washington

My dear Sir,

I sent you to day C.O.D. at your request the Coins asked for in your letter of the 18th inst, except the Trade Dollar which I am unable to furnish.

Trusting that these will help you out with your Collection.

I am Truly Yours.
H. A. Steel

Ans

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

April 4th 1885

Hon A. Loudon Snowden

Superintendent

Sir;

In reply to your favor of the 28th ult, relative to the proposed reduction of the Operative force in this Institution, and as to whether the force in this Department can be reduced without interfering with its efficiency, I have the honor to state, that in view of the monthly amount of the Silver dollar Coinage being provided for by Law, the greater part of which devolves upon this Mint, together with the large amount of gold bullion stored in the vaults and in process of Coining, the present force could not be reduced to any great extent without interfering with its efficiency. It found to be necessary to decrease the number of employes, Six to ten men might possibly

be dispensed with from among the Rollers, Cutters Annealers and Cleaners, reducing this part of the force to a minimum figure.

In the stamping room there might be a reduction made of a few Operatives, which would not seriously interfere with the work.

The Coining room could spare some of the female Operatives, provided the minor Coinage is to be suspended for any considerable time.

I enclose by your request a list of the employés, classified into the above classes.

Very Respectfully,
Your Obt Servant,
W. E. Stuart,
Coiner.

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Weighers

Ezra Calhoun — H. S. Garrett.

Foremen

A. W. Downing — — — Coining Room
W. H. Webb — — — Rolling Room
Jas. M. Stewart — — Cleaning Room

Cleaning Rooms

Edward Keyser — Wm McDade
H. E. Rulon — Jno Crawford
F. Schiedt — Thos. Mauk
W. R. Brinton — J. B. Slater

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Medal Room

M. Specht | Geo. Wheatley | Saml Bailey

Counters

Wm S. Fuller | Chas A Bosbyshell | John Vickery

James Beale

Julia E. Doff | Lizzie A. Geoge | Mrs K. H. Dunton

Hoisting Machine

Henry J. Cooper

Coining Room

First Class	Second Class	Third Class
N. L. Beckley	J. C. Bowen	S. Smith jr
J. D. Siner	H. H. Haigh	A. J. Lawrence

Alex Crawford ----- (in Adjusting Room)

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Coining Room

Ladies

First Class	Second Class	Third Class
M. Richardson	M. J. Harbison	A. W. Potter
E. Cannan	C. Moran	R. E. McCarty
A. L. Bonsall	J. A. Cheston	R. J. Cole
B. F. Mathews	E. E. McAllister	M. Spafford
E. B. Mauck	V. Clemens	J. H. Hall
E. S. Milligan	M. Rudolph	M. Bean
E. P. Jones	R. A. McManus	A. H. Anstice
M. E. Cresswell	R. H. Horner	K. Gibbon
E. L. Gillen	M. M. Hazlett	M. C. Woodville
	A. S. Helmick	L. L. Banes

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Rolling Room

Rollers

First Class	Second Class	Third Class
R. N. Sommers	A. Cuskaden	H. Maloney
J. F. Shroder	G. W. Mc Farland	E. R. Paquet
T. F. Weyser	D. O'Neill	
J. H. Kains	F. Barnwall	
C. Gillingham		
F. W. Ackley		
W. H. K. Smith		

J. A. C. Smith

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Rolling Room (continued)

Annealers.

First Class	Second Class	Third Class
Wm H. Barnes	Alex. Crooks	J. T. Webster
Adam Rule	T. W. Binker	G. B. Bunn
W. H. Evans	T. Gillespie	
Jos. Hilferty	F. J. Randall	
	J. H. Kinsley	
	R. McCartney	

W. H. Holtz — Bricklayer

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Rolling Room (Concluded)

Rollers

First Class	Second Class	Third Class
R. Gilfillan	A. L. Fraser	J. J. Philips
W. K. Hartzell	F. Cole	J. A. Goyas
H. W. Murray	T. Myers	H. B. Haigh
E. Leonard	B. Peale	L. F. Sour
	H. C. Little	
	W. Knapp	
	E. Abrams	
	A. Spohn	
	G. K. Thomas	
	J. Morgan	

Kelso Johnson ---- Paint Shop.

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Adjusting Room
Fist Class

Mrs J. W. Scelton	Miss Clara H. Kilt	Miss Annie Rutter
Miss L. H. Hutton	Mrs Annie E. Heritage	Mrs Virginia Schofield
" Mary H. Almond	" Amelia C. Knorr	" Harriet D. Scott
Miss Mary P. Battelmar	Miss Debora Moore	Miss Kate B. Thompson
Miss Rebecca C. Biles	" Keziah M. Kibbon	" Hattie B. Tidd
" Ruth Clement	" Sarah M. Cain	" Mary J. Lechman
Mrs Bessie Dutton	" Alfreda Mapes	Mrs Ursula Weaver
Miss Mary V. Fraiez	" Mary G. Maher	Miss Anna L. Fiske
" Sarah P. Fisher	Mrs Sarah M. Martin	" Emma S. Wise
Mrs Mary A Griffith	Miss Mary Oliver	" Anna B. Zeller
Miss Laura Gilbraith	Mrs Ellen A Pierce	" Mary A Thorn
	" Belle F. Reaver	

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Adjustress (Coiners) (Continued)

Second Floor

Mrs A.A. Bannatyne	Miss Mary C. Dupratz	Miss M. Louisa Pollock
Miss Emma C. Bayard	" Mary C. Griffiths	" Adele M. Robinson
" Mary L. Bartholomew	" Lucy Livingston	" Kattie M. Rideout
" Maria Bishop	Mrs Sarah P. Rees	" Gertrude Harris
" E. Barclay	Miss Lizzie Rumney	" Francis Lee
" Stella Barclay	Mrs Anna M. Fabian	Mrs Kate A. Lewis
" Josephine Barr	" Fannie L. Griffiths	Miss Della M. Swain
" Arabella Chenault	" Ellen C. Hoyer	Mrs Anna M. Shindler
" Blanche Carroll	Miss Louisa M. Knox	Miss Alida L. Townsend
Mrs Maggie E. Colby	Mrs Sarah Lee Humphry	Mrs Emma Price
Miss Belle E. Cambler	Miss Virginia McKean	" Edna Van Cleve
" Sallie E. Davis		Miss Josephine Howard

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Adjusting Room (concluded)
This Class

Miss Emma C. Abel
" Annie S. Bazard
" Harriet E. Blakiston
" Margaretta Cassell
" Mary E. Dixon
Mrs Susan De Haas
Miss Julia L. Famum
" Elizabeth Fithian

Miss Emma C. Foote
Mrs Caroline F. Fenton
Miss Eliza G. Handy
" Lucy Harper
" Jennie Johnson
" Mary Moore
" Lizzie McCullough
" Rebecca A Means
" Annie E. Noble

Miss Annie M. Morris
" Helen M. Price
Mrs Mary G. Rease
Miss Mary Lockey
" Rose F. Shuman
" Celia Town
" Anna M. Scott
" S. J. Gregory

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

April 23rd 1885

Jno A. Loudon Snowden

Superintendent

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose herewith the resignation of Mr John N. Haines, a Roller in this Department, to take effect the ~~above date~~ 30th inst.

Very Respectfully

Your Obt Servant

A. S. Steel

Coiner

April 28th 5

Hon A. Sheldon Scorden
Superintendent
Sir,

In Conformity with your instructions, I hereby designate the following named persons that may be struck from the rolls, to-wit:

Mrs A. Hoke
" E. Culon
~~Mrs Pollard~~
E C Paquet
J. H Kinsley
Miss Sohn
Chas Phillips
J. A. Jorgas
J. B Slater
J. A. B. Smith

Mrs R. A. Mc Manus
" M. J. Reese
" Susan De Hass
" C. F. Fenton
" A. M. Shidler
Miss H. M. Ridcout
" H. M. Price
" M. Lockrey
" L. Farnham
" ~~C. Cambron~~
" E. Cunningham
" L. Foion
" Emma E. Focht

These persons are selected from those who are the least efficient in the branch of the work in which they are engaged.

If the present large Silver Coinage continues, this will leave my force about a Minimum point, and should the Minor Coinage be resumed other appointments may be necessary.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt.
W. L. Steel
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

April 22d 1885

Mr J. D. Slater
Cleaning Room
Sir,

Under instructions from the Department based upon the Suspension of the Minor Coinage at this Mint, it becomes my painful duty in executing this Order and in reorganizing the force, to inform You that your Services will not be required after the 30th inst.

Very Respectfully
W. L. Stee[illegible]
Coiner

Copy of this Sent to the following.
W. H. Watts
Wm R. Paxton
[illegible] Jackson
J. M. Paquet
Amos Shoda
John J. Phillips
J. A. Forgas
J. A. C. Smith
H. H. Kinsley
Mrs R. A. M. Peters
" M. J. Reese
" Susan Dallas
" C. F. Fenton
" A. M. Shinton
Miss H. M. Ridout
" H. M. Price
" M. Lockey
" H. L. Fenton
" E. Cunningham
" C. Penn
" L. C. Wells

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

May 1st 65

Hon A. London Snowden
Superintendent
Sir,

I have the honor to request the approval of the transfer of Wm H Evans from an Annealer to a Cleaner in this Department, the rate of pay being the same. Vice H. E. Nelson discharged.
from the roll. This transfer to date from this date.

Very Respectfully
W. L. Stewart
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

May 11th 1865

Hon A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent
Sir,

I have the honor to state in relation to Mrs De Haas being dropped from the roll, that She has been very frequently sick, and many times absent, and owing to defective eyesight was deemed unable to preform the work.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Steel.
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

May 14th 05

W. G. Hannis Esq
1347 Ridge Ave. Phila.
Dear Sir

Please call at Mint as early to-morrow (May 15th) as possible; we wish to see you with reference to a copper tank.

Very Respectfully

W. S. Stell
Coiner pro tem.

May 15 85

J. S. Watson & Son
512 Commerce St Phila

Gents:- The garbage bucket received from you this day should have a copper bottom; the lid should have a handle. Please send for the bucket and have these alterations made.

Very Respectfully

W. S Steel
Corner pearl

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA

May 23 1885

Miss Caroline F. Fenton
1335 Arch St
Miss Fenton
Please call for balance
due on acct of services

Very Respectfully

W. S. Stell Coiner
per B

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA

May 23 1885

Miss Helen M. Price
1321 South 15th St
Miss Price
Please call for balance
due on acct of services

Very Respectfully

W. S. Stell Coiner
per B

Copies of above sent to Miss Celia Town 2007 North 17th St
Mrs Susan Dr Haas 1417 Park Ave

Notice sent to Amos Spohn - H. E. Rulon - J. J. Phillips - J. B. Slater

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Mint of the United States

PHILADELPHIA

May 23 85

Miss Emily Cunningham

Arch St (3d door below 13th)

Miss Cunningham

Please call for balance

due on acc't of services

Very Respectfully

W. S. Stel, Coiner

per B.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

PHILADELPHIA

May 23 85

Miss Mary J. Cease

1608 Vine St

Miss Reese

Please call for balance

due on acc't of services

Very Respectfully

W. S. Steel Coiner

per B

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

May 27th 5

Hon A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent

Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3564 Revised Statute, I have the honor to nominate from the General Depositors and recommend the appointment of James Nanworth at a Salary @ $2.00 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice John H. Haines resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. Sloat
Coiner

May 27th 5

Hon A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provision of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Fannie Gilder as an Adjuster @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss E.L. Gilder resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stel
Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

June 17th 1885

Hon. A. Loudon Snowden
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statute, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Margaret Keegan as an adjuster @ $1.25 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss Emma De Haas dropped from the roll.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Steel
Coiner

June 2 1885

Dear Sir

All goods contracted for this Department during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1885 must be delivered and bills presented before that date, viz June 30, 1885

Very Respectfully

W S Steel per B Corier

Copies sent to all persons interested

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

July 2d 1887

Geo B. Bunn Esq

Dear Sir:-

By direction of the Superintendent, you are hereby suspended.

Very Respectfully

W. Steel

Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

July 2d 1885

Geo. B. Bunn Esq
320 Belgrade St
Phila Pa

Dear Sir:-

By direction of the Superintendent I have to inform you that your services are no longer required.

Very respectfully

W. S. Stiel

Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

July 2d 1885.

Lemuel Coffin Esq
220 Chestnut St. Phila

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your favor of 30th ult would say that in view of the very recent transfer of Miss Virginia Clemens, it would be injudicious to accede to your request at present.

At the earliest practicable moment it will give me great pleasure to comply.

Meanwhile, believe me

Very Respectfully

A. A. Stecker

Coiner.

Mint of the United States, Phila., Pa.,
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

July 2 1885

Mr. Frank H. Wyeth
1725 Pine St
Phila.

Dear Sir:-

Upon reflection I have concluded it would be injudicious to re-transfer Miss Virginia Clemens at present. At the earliest practicable moment it will give me great pleasure to comply with your request.

I am

Very Respectfully

W. L. Steel

Coiner

July 7th 5

Hon. D. M. Fox.

Superintendent

Sir:- I have the honor to state, relative to supplies used in this Department, that in proposals for Crescent Cylinder Oil, Double Refined Tallow, and Prime Cylinder Tallow, the bids of F. Conway's Sons and Stevenson Bros & Co. while lower than H. R. Lewis & Co- did not state their articles as "Double Refined" which is an essential quality.

In Dry Goods, J. Welsh & Co. were lowest bidders with a very small difference in one or two articles, but from samples submitted, John Wanamaker's were best for our uses

Gloves and Mitts - Mrs Ashford's samples, while higher in price, were universally admitted most suitable for Mint uses; hence Gloves

were awarded to her, while File. Dem, Haney & Co — lowest bidders — were awarded Mitts.

Wood. J S Lowry & Sons' proposal was the lowest of all bidders

I have the honor to be
Very Respectfully
Your Ob'dt Serv't

H. L. Stark
Cornier.

July 7th 5

Hon. Dan'l. M. Fox,
Superintendent

Sir:- I have the honor to state that Miss S. J. Gregory was nominated as an Adjuster last February, and has not reported for duty.

Mr. Michael Specht, an employe of this Department, has been absent sick for over a month. The doctor states his case as typhoid malarial fever.

I have the honor to be
Very Respectfully
Your obdt servt

W. [illegible]

Courier

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

July 8 1885

Hon. David M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose the resignation of Miss Eliza G. Handy, as an Adjuster, to take effect upon the 7th inst

Very Respectfully

Your Obdt Servt

W. S. Stee[illegible]

Coiner

July 9th 85

Miss F R. Lord
Skowhegan Me.

In answer to your letter of 8th inst I regret to say your leave cannot be extended as you propose. You must either report here in person, or send a properly authenticated physician's certificate stating that your presence is absolutely requires for the prolongation of your father's life.

Your presence is necessary here.

Very Respectfully

W. A. Leet

Comer

July 8th 85

Lewis Coffin Esq
220 Chestnut St Phila Pa

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your favor of 7th inst. and assure you that anything I can do to oblige you or assist Miss Clemens will be most cheerfully done.

Thanking you for your recognition of my good wishes. I am

Very Respectfully

W. A. Leet

Comer.

July 9th 5

Hon. Dan'l M. Fox

Superintendent:-

Sir,-

In reply to your desire to know what time will be necessary to produce the balance of the quota assigned to this Mint for the month of July, I have the honor to state that the balance due is #1.462,000. It is not safe to count on more than 19 working days to insure the result desired. To produce #1.462,000 will take say 972 melts of Silver Dollar Ingots - estimating 19 days left for work this will require 54 melts per day. This number of melts per day should produce #77.000 daily.

A safe estimate of this Mints Coining Department per day of 8 hours is #50.000 in Standard Dollars. At this rate #75.000 per day could be produced in

12 hours;- throwing aside contingencies arising from breakage of machinery or working bad metal, I believe 12 hours a day will produce the amount required.

This estimate is based upon the present working force of my Department, which is as follows:-

4 Rolls, with 13 men to operate them,- 12 as Rollers, and 1 as Prover.

6 Furnaces, with 10 men to operate,- 9 directly with Furnaces, and 1 to look after the work

4 Draw-Benches, with 4 men to operate them.

1 man at pointing Rolls.

2 men to grease strips

3 men as Cutters

3 men as tenders of Clippings

3 men as provers of planchets

1 man to superintend.

1 man at Cutting Shears
1 man at Hoisting Machine
4 men employed in Wash Room
5 men in Cleaning Room, annealing, whitening riddling and drying Planchets. To bring the capacity of this room up to amount required by 12 hours would necessitate the temporary employment of 4 men from the Laborer's Roll of the Superintendents Department.

The Adjusting Room can do #51.000 in 8 hours, and the Assorting machines can produce about #26.000 Additional. By running the machines 12 hours the necessary amount can be gotten out without employing the Adjusting Room longer than 8 hours.

The Coining Room can do all that is required in the 8 hours, excepting the Selectors, 4 Millers,

3 with 1 man to assist, and 3 men for gathering up the Coin and Blanks, and the running of the Assorting machines, as already stated.

3 Ladies and 2 men will be required at the Counting Table, – not necessarily every day over-time, but as occasion demands, to count and weigh the coin for delivery to the Superintendent, and not allow it to accumulate as it comes from the presses; but it should be stated that about 1½ hours is required for the delivery in the morning.

It will be my pleasure at all times to assist in producing the largest output within the least possible time.

This will of course necessitate the use of the steam-power under your supervision.

I am, Very Respectfully your Obdt Sot

W. J. Steel
Coiner

July 10th 5

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to Nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Aimee S. Warfield as an Assistant @ $75 per Diem, to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Miss Eliza G. Handy resigned

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA

July 11th 1885

Miss Jennie H. Hall

The Superintendent desires me to state that he wishes an interview with you.

Very Respectfully

W. S. Steel

Courier

per B.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA

July 10th 85

Mrs Pauline M. Hazlett

By direction of the Superintendent you will please report for duty at once, as your services are required.

If sick, a physician's certificate is required

Very Respectfully

W S Steel

per B.

Courier

Copies sent to

Helmick

Heritage

Abel

Camblos

Bartholomew

Furney

Mr. Specht

Harper

July 9th 5

Employees in this Department will hereafter — in case of absence from any cause — immediately notify the undersigned, giving reason for failure to report for duty

(Signed) Wm S Steel
Comier

Approved
(Signed) David McFox
Superintendent

July 11th 5

Hon. Dan'l M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir:-

Under existing regulations the Adjusting Room is compelled to wait every morning until work is carried from vaults to tables, as the engine does not start until 8 a.m. and the hoisting apparatus cannot be used till that hour.

The process of testing and adjusting scales also occupies some time, and thus the regular work of the Adjusting Room does not commence till about 8.25 a.m.

If it is desired to have the Adjusting Room commence operating scales at 8 a.m. it will be necessary to have the engine start earlier than that hour, and the testing of scales completed before 8 a.m. each day.

It is requisite that the Adjusters of Weights

and Scales be present from 1/2 to 3/4 hour before commencement of work each day, so as to properly test and prepare the scales, and insure their accuracy for use of the Adjusters.

Of course it is understood that the Steam Motive Power is in your Department.

I am Very Respectfully
Your Obdt Servt

W. L. Steel
Courier

July 13th 5

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose the resignation of Miss Lucy Harper, as an Adjuster, to take effect upon the 13th inst

Very Respectfully
Your Obdt Servt
W. D. Steel
Coroner

July 13th 85

Miss Lucy Harper
3906 Walnut St
Miss Harper:-

I am in receipt of your favor of 13th and have forwarded your resignation as per request.

Regretting that you should be unable to continue with us,

I am

Very Respectfully

W. S. Peck
Comr

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT
Mint of the United States
AT PHILADELPHIA

July 13 85

Miss Lucy E. Harper
Ridge St, Germantown
Miss Harper:-

Yours very much to hand & you will please call here as soon as able to attend to duty. The under-line requires your service at the earliest possible moment

Very Respectfully

W. S. Peck

Comr

Please state when you expect to return

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

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AT PHILADELPHIA

July 15th 85

Mrs Pauline M. Hazlett
(care of Mrs Gamett)
N.E. cor. 33d and Arch Sts

Mrs P.M. Hazlett

By direction of the Superintendent you are hereby suspended for absence without leave, and failure to report as requested in my note of 10th inst.

Very Respectfully
W. S. Steel
Coiner

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

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AT PHILADELPHIA

July 17th 85

Miss Kate B. Thompson
Clayton St. Germantown.

Miss Miss Thompson

I am in receipt of yr favor and communicate its contents to the Superintendent, who wishes me to say that he would be pleased to see you to-morrow morning

Very truly yours
Wm S. Steel.
Coiner
pars.

COINERS DEPARTMENT

July 16th 85

J. T. Webster Esq
10th St. bel. Buttonwood

Dear Sir:-

By direction of the Superintendent you will please report for duty immediately, as your services are required here.

Very Respectfully

Wm S. Steel pers
Coiner

COINERS DEPARTMENT

July 16th 85

Miss Sallie E. Davis
6006 Girard Ave

Miss Davis - By direction of the Superintendent you will please report immediately for duty; Please communicate with me on receipt of this. Your services are needed here

Very Respectfully

Wm S Steel pers.
Coiner

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

July 16th 85

Mrs Ursula Weaver
Sunbury Pa.

Mrs Weaver:-

I communicates contents of your letter to the Superintendent, and he desires me to state that you must report immediately for duty, as the present demands for the coinage requires your services; and if you cannot comply with this requirement, your name will be dropped from the roll.

Very Respectfully
Wm S. Steel
pcB. Coiner

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

July 16th 85

Mrs Amelia V. Helmick
1024 ~~1014~~ Walnut St
Mrs Helmick- By direction of the Superintendent you are requestes to report for duty to-morrow (July 17th)

Very Respectfully
Wm S Steel
pcB
Coiner

July 16' 5

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provision of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Eliza Doran as an Adjustor @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon conformation, vice Miss Mary Harper resigned

Very Respectfully,
Your Obt Servant
H. D. Steel
Cashier

1756
Montgomery

July 18th 5

Hon. David M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:-

In view of the heavy demand on this Mint for coinage, the oppressive heat and injurious effect on the health of the Adjusters, and the necessity for a greater amount of overwork, I respectfully recommend the employment of temporary adjusters, to relieve our regular force

Very Respectfully
Your Obdt Svt
W. L. Steel
Coiner

July 28

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir.

I have the honor to State, that miss Sallie E. Davis informed me this morning that She had handed her resignation to you this A.M. to take effect this date.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Steel
Clerk.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

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July 21 85

Miss F. R. Lord
Skowhegan Me.

Miss Lord:- I am in receipt of your telegram. Please write me immediately stating just what action you contemplate.

Very truly yours
W. S. Steel
Coiner

July 24th 85

Mrs Aimee S. Warfield
212 No. 15th St.

Mrs Warfield:-

Will you please inform me of the date of your resignation as Adjuster, and oblige

Very truly yours
Wm S. Steel
Coiner

pscb

July 22nd 5

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3684 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment as adjuncts for temporary service in this Department of the Mint, @ 1.25 per diem the following, to wit;—

Mrs Theresa M. Canty
" Mary B. Megargee
Miss Bertha Cahn Kahn
" Mary E. Kalb
" Louisa Gibbon
" Annie Fiechtner
" Maude Palmer

Clarinda

Miss Clarinda A. Roberts
" Lidie J. Power
" Kate A. Bowen Bowser
Mrs Elizabeth Artman
" Lizzie B. Price
Miss Sadie L. Carson

These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. L. Steele
Comr

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

July 22nd 1885

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Mc Conochie a daughter of the late Col Ringgold, as an Assistant @ $1.25 p diem, to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Miss Sallie E Davis resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant.
W. S. Stell.
Coiner.

July 23rd 65

Hon Chas M. Foy
Superintendent
Sir's

In accordance with the provision of Section 3904 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment as Assistants for temporary Service in this Department of the Mint, @ 1.75 p diem the following, to-wit;

Miss Emma M. Magee
" Bessie Walsh
Mrs Lucy S. Rice
" Jane M. Dealy
Miss Anna E. Gibson
" Lucy A. Brown

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Mrs Sarah Jane Connell
Miss Laura Carroll, Carrall
" Clara L. Messick
Mrs Emma J. Horne
Miss Annie Shafer
Mrs Maine Seidelman.

These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. J. Steel
Joiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

July 23rd 65

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to state, that I understand Mrs Annie S. Warfield has resigned and that you are in receipt of her resignation.

Very Respectfully
Your. Obt Servt
W. S. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

July 24 1885

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment as adjuster to temporary employment in this Department of the Mint, @ $1.75 per diem the following, to-wit;

Mrs Cecelia H. Root
Miss Mary A. Clark
" Lucy A. Brown and
" Cecelia Jones

Mrs Emily G. Morton

These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
H. D. Steel
Coiner

July 25th 51

Hon Thos H. Ford
Superintendent

Sir

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mrs Sarah J. Tomlinson as an adjuster at $1.25 per diem, to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. L. Steel
Comr

July 25th 5

Hon Robt M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provision of Section # 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment as Assistants to temporary employment in this Department of the Mint, @ $75 per diem the following, to-wit;

Miss Clara L. Hunter
" Theresa Arrowsmith
" Elizabeth K. Swift
" Helen E. Corgell
Miss Gertrude B. Allen
" Annie F. Alter and
Mrs Elizabeth Van Laws.

Very Respectfully
J. F. Hoffecker
Coiner

July 24th 5

Hon Robt M. Fort
Superintendent
Sir

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment as Adjuster to temporary employment in the Department of the Mint, @ $2.50 per diem the following, to wit;

Miss Sallie Harley
" Nannetta Levi
" Clara Spence and
" Kate L. Marshall

Very Respectfully
W. L. Steel
Coiner

July 28th 5

Hon Dan'l M Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provision of Section #3514 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for temporary appointment in this Department of the Mint, @ 1st from the foregoing, to-wit;

Miss Mary J. Stille
" Hyleh Kaffelfinger and
" Jane M. Reed

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. S. Stahl
Coiner

July 29th 5-

Hon Chas M. Fry
Superintendent
Sir

In Conformity with your verbal request, I have the honor to State that a thorough trial was given in this Department of Conway's Borax Soap in washing the greasy from Blankets & Stockings and found to be unsatisfactory for the purpose, While Borax Soap which we are using gives every Satisfaction desired.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Steel

July 27 '5

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3 350 of Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment as adjuncts for temporary employment in the Department of the Mint, @ $75 per Mon the following to-wit:

Miss Emily R. Arnold
" Mary M. Donough

Very Respectfully
W. L. Stutt
Coiner.

July 30th 85

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Mary Donahoe for temporary employment in this Department of the Mint as an assistant @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully.
Your Obt Servant.
H. A. Huckel.
Coiner.

July 20th 65

Hon Chas E. Pugh
Superintendent
Sir's

I have the honor to State as a matter of record in the Department that Miss A. B. Zeller an adjuster has resigned having Sent her resignation to you to take effect August 1st 1865.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stiel
Coiner.

July 20th 65

Miss F. R. Lord

Skowhegan Me

Dear Miss Lord;

I am in receipt of your favor of the 25th inst. Your interpretation of my letter of the 9th inst is hardly warranted – my letter was simply intended to learn when you could return as the services of all the Ladies were necessary to meet the demands for Coinage that upon this Mint.

If you intended to resign that of course is optional with yourself, but I had no idea of inducing such a course

I would be pleased to hear from you.

I am

Very Respectfully

Your ob

W. S. Stuck

Coiner

July 31st 85

Stephen Smith jr Esq

227 North Third St

Dear Sir

Please immediately acquaint me with the reason for your absence from duty and oblige

Very truly yours

W. S. Stell

Comdg

July 31st 5

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sec'y

I have the honor to enclose herewith the resignation of Miss Margaret Oliver, an Adjuster in this Department to take effect this day.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Steel.
Chief.

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July 31st 85

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to enclose herewith the resignation of Miss Matilda Bean, an adjuster in this Department to take effect this date.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. L. Steel
Coiner.

Foreman ---- Mrs J. W. Sexton

Reviewers

M. H. Almond	B. Fulton
Debra Moore	V. Scholfield
M. J. Peckman	Annie E. Heritage
L. H. Hutton	A. L. Trego.

Mrs M. A. Griffith --- Cutting and Sewing

8 am to 4 p.m.

1st week Aug 1885
8 am to 4 pm

Bayard Annie S.	Harris Gertrude
Bryant Emma C	Knox Louisa M
Blakiston Harriet E	~~Maher, M. G.~~
Bartholomew M E	McCaul Sarah
Bishop Maria	McCullough Lizzie
Barclay E	Mumphrey S. W.
Barclay Stella	Norris A. M.
Biles Rebecca C	~~Oliver M~~
Clemens Virginia	Reaver I. F.
Crumblen Belle T	Scott, A. M.
Dean Eliza	Scrivin, Bryant
Dixon Mary E	Thompson Kate B.
Flannery Lizzie	Tress Emma
Fisher Sarah L	Tidd Hattie
Fabian Anna M	Townsend Alisa W
Galbraith Laura	Van Cleve F. A.
Gildea Fannie E	Weaver Ursula
Gregory S. J.	Wise E. S.
	Martin S M
	Carroll, Blanche

Artman Elizabeth	Palmer Maude
Brown, Lucie A.	Price Lizzie B.
Bowen Kate A	Price Lucy S.
Beidelman, Mamie	Roberts Clarissa A
Carson Sadie L	Shafer Annie
Carroll Laura J	
Dealy Jane M	
Fichtner Annie	
Gibson Laura E	
Gibbons Louisa	
Hall, Mary E.	
Husted Clara L	
Horne Emma F	
Kahn Bertha	
Magee Emma M	
Megarge Mary B	
Mc Carty Teresa	
Merrick Clara L	

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1st week August 1885

4 pm to 10 pm

Abel Emma C	Knorr Amelia C	Arnold Theora	Spence Clara
Bau Josephine	Lewis Kate A	Allen Gertrude B.	Stiles Mary L
Bartholomew M. P.	Magill Alfreda M	Arnold Emily R	Town Celia
Bannatyne A A	Maher M. G	Alter Annie F	Walsh Bessie
Cresswell M E	McLean V	Clark Mary S	Whitehall Ellen G
Clement Arabella	Mears B. A.	Connell Sarah L	
Cassell Margaretta A	Moore Mary	Coryell Anna E	
Cobley Maggie S	McKibben Kezia	Donahoe Mary	
Dougherty M. C	Pollock Mary L	Harley Sallie	
Duffield M C	Pearse Ellie A	Haffelfinger Helen	
Finney M. V.	Rutter Annie	Laws Elizabeth M	
Frame S. P.	Robinson Adelia	Levi Henrietta	
Fillman S. Elizabeth	Sipraim Della B	Marshall Kate L	
Griffith Fanny L	Shuman Rose F	McDonough Mary	
Hill Clara H	Scott H. D.	Power Lidie L	
Howard Josephine	Thom Mary A	Reed Jane M	
Hoya Ellen C	Tomlinson Sarah S	Root Cecilia W	
Johnston Jennie	Clement Ruth	Seckel Elizabeth R	

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8 am to 4 pm

Bayard Annis S.
Bryant Emma C
Blakeston Harriet E
Bartholomew M E
Bishop Maria
Barclay E
Barclay Stella
Bilas Rebecca C
Clemens Virginia
Cambliss Belle T.
Doran Eliza
Dixon Mary E.
Flannery Lizzie
Fisher Sarah R
Fabian Anna M
Galbraith Laura
Gregory S. L
Harris Gertrude
Knox Louisa M
Martin S. M
Mc Caul Sarah
Mc Cullough Lizzie
Mears B. A.
Murphey S. W.
Mc Kibben Keziah
Norris A. M.
Carroll Blanche
Scott H. D.
Sergison Margaret
Thompson Kate B
Tress Emma
Tidd Hattie
Townsend Alida W
Van Clve F A
Weaver Ursula
Wise E. S.
Artman Elizabeth
Braun Lucie A
Bowen Kate A
Beidelman Mame
Carson Sadie L
Canall Laura J
Dealy Jane M
Fiechtner Annie
Gibson Laura E
Gibbons Louisa
Hall Mary E
Hustes Clara L
Horne Emma L
Kahn Bertha
Magee Emma M
Megaye Mary B
Mc Carty Theresa
Messick Clara L
Palmer Maude
Price Lizzie B
Price Lucy S
Roberts Clarissa A
Shafer Annie

4 pm to 10 pm

Abel, Emma C
Barr, Josephine
Bartholomew M.P.
Bannatyne A.A.
Clement Ruth
Creswell M.E.
Clement Arabella
Cassell Mayaretta A
Cobley Maggie E
Dougherty M.C
Duffield M.C.
Finney M.V.
Fraser S.P.
Fithian E. Elizabeth
Gilden Fannie E
Griffith Fanny L
Hill Clara A
Howard Josephine
Hoyer Ellen C
Johnston Jennie
Knorr Amelia C
Lewis Kate A
Magill Alfreda M
Maher M.G
McLean V.
Moore Mary
Pollock Mary L
Price Ellie A
Rutter Annie
Robinson Adelaide
Reaver J.F
Swaim Della B
Shuman Rose F
Scott Ann
Thau Mary A
Tomlinson Sarah S.
Arnold Theresa
Allen Gertrude B
Arnold Emily R
Alter Annie F
Clark Mary E
Connell Sarah J
Coryell Anna E
Donahoe Mary
Harley Sallie
Hoffelfinger Helen
Laws Elizabeth M
Levi Henrietta
Marshall Kate L
McDonough Mary
Power Lidie J
Reed Jane M
Rook Cecilia W
Seckel Elizabeth K
Spence Clara
Stille Mary J
Town Celia
Walsh Bessie
Whitehall Ellen G.

August 1st 65

Hon Danl M. Fry
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to State that miss A. E. Noble has resigned as an Adjutant in this Department, having sent her resignation to Gen.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steele

A B Thompson resigned Aug 6th 1865
Sent to Dept.

A L Townsend Resigned Aug 22/65
J E Lord " 20/65
S. Smith " dropped Aug 28th 1865

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August 31st 1885

Hon Daniel M Fox
Superintendent

Sir

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Catharine Donnelly for temporary employment in this Department as an adjuster @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stewart
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

August 3rd 1865

Hon Alex. Dr
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section # 3694 Revised Statute, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Kate Blaess for temporary employment in this Department as an Adjuster @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. S. Stell
Coiner

Mint of the United States
PHILADELPHIA

August 6th 1895

Mrs J. M. Dealy

S.E. cor. Frankford Road & Norris St

Mrs Dealy

Replying to your favor of to-day would say the leave you ask is granted — with loss of pay.

Very Respectfully

Wm S. Stearl

Coiner pro.

August 6th 5

Hon Dan'l M. Fry

Superintendent

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 5th inst, relative to the new Ajax Coining Press now in this Department I have the honor to State, that this new Press was ordered from the Ott & Nees machine Co December 5th 1884, and took the place of a Press in good order having been thoroughly repaired and capable of doing all the work required of it, This old Press was sent to the New Orleans International Exhibition and this Department has no knowledge or record of its subsequent disposition.

The new Press was delivered in the latter part of last June and required

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the Services of two men during about eight days in July to put it in order for the Coinage.

I enclose herewith Copy of letter from the then Coiner to Superintendent dated November 20th 1854, This letter and copy of Order also enclosed are to the best of my knowledge the only Papers relative to these Presses on file in this Department.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. J. Steel
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

August 7th 1885

Hon. Wm. M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 2304 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mrs Elizabeth Perkinpine for temporary employment in this Department as an Adjuster @ 175 per Diem, to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. S. Steel
Coiner

Mrs Perkinpine

August 7 65

Hon Danl M Fox
Superintendent
Sir

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3514 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Adaline Bayer Gregg for temporary employment in this Department on the application of Mr Stuart, to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. A. Steel
Coiner

August 11th 5

Mrs Annie S. Warfield
2112 Ns 15th St

Mrs Warfield'
Please report
here upon receipt of this to
receive Compensation due you
on account of Services.

Very Respectfully
Yr. Obt Svt
Asst

August 11th 65

Hon Danl M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 2d 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to-wit;

Rollers. @ $2 per diem.

Chas Slevin vice Henry Maloney

Chas C. Knight E. H. Ackley

Jos H. Palmer Geo W. Fallard

William Benkert James Hunnewell

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Cutters @ $28 & Rem,

Fred T Koons — Vice Robt Gilfillan
Geo Wolfarth — E. Abrams
Jed Wagner — Thos Rogers
Louis O. Neils — Jas Morgan
William Williamson — Robt Johnson

Steamer @ $3 & Rem.

John Barnes — Vice Geo Bunn discharged

Steamer @ $3 & Rem.

Henry Wesley — Vice F. Schiedt

These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation,

Very Respectfully
Thos Steele
Surveyor

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

August 12th 5

Hon Alex. M. Coxe
Superintendent

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statute, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mrs M. Louisa Miller for temporary employment in this Department as an Adjuster @ $1.75 per diem to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stell
Coiner

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA.

August 15th 85

Kelso Johnston Esq
514 South 24th St

Dear Sir.

You have failed to comply with the Rules. Please let me Know the reason of your absence, as the services of all employes are requied here.

Very truly
Wm. S Steel
Coiner
per B.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Sept. 2d 1885

Henry Wesley Esq
2817 Cambridge St Phila

Sir:-

Please call at your earliest convenience for amount due you for services in August.

Very truly

W. S. Steel

Coiner

per B.

August 15th 5

Hon Dan'l M Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section # 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to wit;

Rollers @ $2.00 ₰ diem

Owen A. Sheelin — Vice Henry Maloney
Geo W. Palmer — Geo W. McFarland
William Bankert — James Hunsworth
Wm J. Culbertson — A. Cuskaden

Cutters @ $2.00 per Man.

Fred T. Koons Vice Robt Gilfillan
Geo Wolfarth E. Abrams
James Magner Thos Myers
William Williamson Keles Johnson
Neil McBride D.K. Hartzell

Annealers @ $3 per Man

John Barnes Vice Geo Bunn discharged

Cleaners @ $3. per Man.

Tony Worley Vice F. Scheidt

These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
W. D. Steele
Com.

August 15 85

Miss F.R. Lord

Skowhegan Me

Miss Lord;

Yours of the 14th inst at hand, and I cannot withhold the expression that it is very indefinite.

Of course You are aware of the great pressure upon this Mint as regards the production of the Standard Silver Dollar, and in order to accomplish the desired result needs the presence and services of every employe, as it would be very unfortunate were we to fall short in meeting the quota required, Your letter gives no information as regards the probabilities of your stay, and it will not do to leave the matter in an unsettled position, You will obviously see the force of this likely without my making mention, whilst I have to regret that sickness of a near relative may detain You I must have a more definite answer as to your resumption of duty, and that at an early day, Unless this is furnished I will be obliged to report the case with a recommendation to the Superintendent.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. L. Stuckey

August 17th 5

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment Mr Edward DeSilver as an Engraver in this Department C. 3. class, to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. H. Steel
Asst.

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August 17. 65.

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment Mr Edward DeSieves as an Assessor in this Department @ $3. p diem to take effect upon Confirmation, Vice Alex Crooks to be removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
H. A. Steel
Collector

Aug 14th 85

Mr Otterbein

Sir Thomas

Please send
some one down on receipt of
this to put in running order
the new Brass Bench Carriage
recently received from you.

Very Respectfully
W. D. Thomas
Agent

August 20th 85

Mrs Emily G. Wharton
Whitehall (near Bryn Mawr)

Mrs Wharton:-

Will you please call at your earliest convenience to receive amount due you for services?

Very Respectfully
Wm S. Steel
Comer
per B.

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August 20th 1867

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section *3504 Revised Statute, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mr John McCormick as an Annealer in this Department @ $3. p. diem to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Mr Adam Rule to be removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stech
Coiner

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

PHILADELPHIA

August 26th 85

Mr Thos James

Dear Sir:

You expressed a wish to accept a position as Coiner this morning @ 3 p.m. and after you had gone it was discovered that only $2.00. Will you still accept the place at the said figure.

Please let me hear from you upon receipt of this.

Very Respectfully
Yours
W. S. Stuart
Coiner.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

August 26 85

Miss Frances Lord
Skowhegan Me

Dear Miss Lord:- In reply to your favor of 20th inst, enclosed please find bills for amount due you, which please sign where indicated in pencil and return to me. I then will have Miss Cresswell collect the amount ($72) and see that same is forwarded to you.

Regretting the severance of our relations, I am, with best wishes,

Very truly yours

W. S. Stuart

Coiner

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COMPTROLLER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

August 26th 85

Hon A. H. Louisiana

My Dear Sir;

Yours of the 24 inst at hand and should have replyed earlier but have been detained at home by sickness.

Your Suggestion that Miss Fides obtain a Physician certificate to be sent to me, and remain away a few days owing to her impaired health will be entirely Satisfactory, and trust the change will be beneficial to her. Please remember me to Miss F. and with Kind regards to Yourself. Sincerely Yours

I am Obedy Yours
W. S. Steel

Mint of the United States

August 27th 85

Geo. Magee & Co
307 Branch St

Dear Sirs:- At what price will you furnish this Department with the following supplies:-

25 bars Copper 2½ in. wide ¼ in. Thick 36 in. long
25 " " 3 " " " " " " "
25 " " 3½ " " " " " "
25 " " 4¼ " " 5/16 " " " "

Very truly yours
W. S. Steel
Coiner

Copies sent to
Thos Hamett
Jas Oat & Son

August 24th 65

Hon Dan'l M. Tod

Superintendent

Dir.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to Nominate and recommend the appointment of Mr Thomas James as a Cutter in this Department, @ $2.00 p diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice John Morgan to be removed.

Very Respectfully

Your Ob. Servt

W. A. Steel

Coiner

Withdrawn

August 29th 5

Hon Chas M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Nellie D. Evans as an assistant in this Department @ $1/75 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss A. N. Townsend resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Stark
Supt

August 21 85

Jos. Oat & Sons
224 Quay St

Dear Sir

Thanks for your favr of 29th inst. Please let me know the weight of the different sized bars - &, price per pound also what you will allow - per pound - for old copper

Very truly
H. J. Steel
Prin

Mint of the United States
AT PHILADELPHIA.

August 31 1885

Jos. Oat & Sons
228 Quarry St

Dear Sir

Thanks for your favor of 29th inst. Please let me know the weight of the different sizes bars - &c. price per pound also what you will allow - per pound - for old copper

Very truly
J. Ross Snowden
Coiner

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September 1st 1865

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mr William Conn as an assistant in the Coining room @ 3.00 ⅌ diem, to take effect upon confirmation vice Stephen Smith Jr removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Coiner

Sept 1 1885

Miss F. E. Lee
Skowhegan Me

Dear Miss Lee

Your bills have been received, and the amount will be drawn and forwarded by Miss Cresswell. Enclosed find three papers, as per request.

With many good wishes

I am

Very truly

W. S. Steel

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September 1st 5

Hon. Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Dir.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend your appointment in this Department the following, to-wit:

John Z. Jones as a Courier @ $4. p diem vice Wm. Victory
William Haggerty as an Annuler @ $3. " " R. McCauley
D. C. Heigman as a Clerk @ $3. " " John Crawford.

These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. S. Stark
Chief

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

September 2d 95

Geo. Magee Esq
307 Branch St

Dear Sir

On receipt of this please call in reference to your bill for copper and also for instructions relative to repairs as per enclosed order No. 795.

Very truly

W. S. Stee
Cashier
pro B.

Mint of the United States

September 2d 1895

Mrs Elizabeth Artman
1628 North 16th St

Dear Madam:-

Please call at your earliest convenience for amount due you for services rendered

Very Respectfully

W. S Steel
Cashier
pro B.

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September 2 [illegible] 5

Howard M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir:-

I have the honor to herewith transmit a List of Articles belonging to this Department prior to August 15th 1885 as per your request

Very Respectfully

Your Ob't Serv't

W. A. Stutt

Coiner

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Coiner's Office:-

2 walnut desks
2 " wardrobes
24 copying presses & stands
12 revolving chairs
3 chairs
1 water cooler
1 Webster's Dictionary
1 walnut table

1 walnut clock
1 clock
1 adjusting balance
2 paper brackets
1 spittoon
1 Looking glass
1 Directory (1883)
1 Door mat

Rolling Room

4 Rolling machines, with benches and gauges for Coin
miscellaneous gauges and hand tools
1 Rolling Machine, extra (last used in 1867)
2 copper bins & table
2 extra doors
6 annealing Furnaces

2 keys
2 Rakes
1 Cullender & desk

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Melting Room (Continued)

8 pairs Annealing Tongs	140 Carriages for Annealing (copper)
1 " Canister "	(30 of these are half ovals)
2 " Blankpans "	4 Blanchbarrels complete
1 " sweep " "	8 extra Carriages
2 Cooling tubs	4 boxes for die-holder, with
1 " " (extra) copper	die holders complete (for silver)
2 Hoisting apparatus	8 " " (for gold)
Annealing Plates	Dies for reducing & stationary bars
Grate Bars	6 cutting presses
6 Ladles	1 fanning machine
8 Wrought Iron Baskets	4 Sheet Iron top benches
1 Shearing machine	4 Iron top tables
2 Pointing Rolls & Bench	2 extra tables for nickel
3 Heating Pans " "	Hand tools
Pans for Annealing	4 scales with weight

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Rolling Room (concluded) & patent Fire Extinguisher

18 copper lined clipping boxes	5 strap pans
12 " " planchet "	4 standard pans
7 extra annealing pans (a nickel)	3 small pans
8 annealing pans ½ iron	2 extra set Screw pans
5 set " plates	1 set Grate Bars

Adjusting Room

78 chairs (12 new)	195 files (16 worn out - 3 new)
84 Fine Toolstools	10 Reminder Chairs
60 Square tin boxes	1 Reading chair (Snyder)
13 small round Cups	1 " " " (Graham)
36 brass pans (new)	32 sq. yards Oil cloth
22 " " " (old)	2 stationary wash stands
62 large round tin pans	1 chest (Spare, painter)
81 Buckets (old)	1 Kitchen Range
25 " in (new)	4 tin dish pans

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Assistant's Room – (Continued)

8 tables cast iron frame marble tops 10 ft x 3 ft 11 in.
1 " " " " " 8 " x 3 " 11 "
1 " " " " " 4 . 10 x 3 . 11 "
1 " " " " " 2 7 . x 2 . 8 "
1 " " " walnut " 9 . x 2 . 8 "
1 " pine " stained " 27 . x 1 . 4 "
2 " " " Black " 10 " x 1 . 10 "
1 " " " " " 6 . 10 . x 2 . 2 "
64 Dining Room chairs (pine) 1 ft 4 in x 1 ft 2 1/2 in x 1 ft 8 in
11 Wash stands with patent spring rolls
2 Settees " " " "
2 Garbage buckets 1 sink (cast iron with wooden cover)
1 Large water cooler 1 small table (pine
1 Water bucket 1 pine box 4 ft x 2 ft x 1 ft 3 in
2 Cane seat chairs 85 gas jets

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Adjusting Room - (continued)

25 porcelain shades (gas)
33 " " (electric lights)

35 dressing closets
2 cane seat chairs
2 looking glasses
2 shovels
1 pine bench 3ft x 1ft 4 in x 1ft 7 in

1 closet
1 clock
2 large stoves
1 large Refrigerator

40 yards furniture repp curtains with brass rods, rings and hooks

Cleaning Room

1 hammer
1 Iron Crane
2 copper tanks
3 copper kettles
3 cullenders

1 Wash tub
1 Warming Pan (copper lined)
2 Drip Pans, copper
131 Planchet boxes
50 Clipping "
1 Round Sieve

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Cleaning Room. (Continued)

1 Water Cooler
1 Iron Rake
5 Clipping Cans
1 Receiving Can
2 pairs pum Mitts
5 " Canvas "
1 copper Ladle
1 Furnace
1 Wash Brush

Whitening Room

9 large copper colanders
2 small " "
1 large " Rake
2 medium " Ladles
1 small " "
6 Buckets
2 copper covers for Kettles
1 Delivery Can
2 Scoops
6 Chip boxes copper lined
1 small Copper Colander
1 Heater
1 Spade
1 Rack
2 Funnel Stands

3 large copper Scoops
3 small " "
2 large " Funnels
6 wrought iron Annealing Pans
1 large steel " "

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Melting Room (continued)

1 Wooden Rake
1 Large Iron Ladles
2 Wash Hands
2 Large porcelain pitchers
5 pairs Iron Tongs
2 Large mesh Sieves
1 Small " "
2 Two-Bushel baskets
1 Oil Can
1 Large box for Sawdust
2 Iron pouring bars
1 Large Plumber
1 Small " "
2 Zinc Buckets
1 Large Cleaning Brush

15 Annealing Plates
6 Cross Bars
5 doz. Gate Bars
3 Iron Rakes
6 Large Cleaning Tubs
1 Steam Riddle
1 Hand Riddle with 2 Sieves
1 soap Stone
1 Clock
2 Iron Stands
1 Small Truck
1 Monkey wrench
1 Water cooler
1 Iron Scrap Shovel
1 Brass Weighing Scoop

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Whitening Room (concluded)

28 Large Iron Annealing Pans with extra outside and inside lids

9 Medium Iron Annealing Pans

6 small " "

Coining Room

11 Coining Presses

53 tubes

58 feeders

25 blanks

125 collars

11 iron money-stands

104 wrenches

5 milling machines

25 tubes

2 wooden stands

3 leather spouts

7 shaker boxes

4 stools

2 glide rests

58 tools

7 coin gauges

2 selecting tables

1 water cooler

1 clock

5 pairs gloves

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Coining Room (continued)

41 die-gauge	1 three gall. oil can, tin
78 monkey wrenches	1 " " alcohol " "
1 set figures	1 quart " " copper
1 " letters	1 oil strainer
2 oil stones	2 quart oil cans, brass
4 magnifying glass	2 portable gas fixtures
18 printing machine	50 belt laces
4 " wheels	350 quills
37 feet 5/16 round belting	47 chairs (12 bad)
14 brushes	19 stools
5 file brushes	17 walnut closets
6 sq. feet file card	1 looking glass
2 reams emery paper	1 thermometer
5 doz. oil squirts	502 coin boxes
65 papers 12 oz. carpet tacks	23 cans

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Coining Room - (continued)

4 weighing machines
90 tubes
140 feeders
65 weights
22 extra baskets
2 electric bells
18 extra springs
2 batteries
38 doz files
1 spirit level
1 hack saw
11 " " blades
8 small cans (adjusting room)
3 doz file handles
3 squares
2 pairs dividers
1 pair calipers
1 pair cutting nippers
5 screw drivers
1 belt punch
2 hand vises
1 bench "
7 hammers
4 pairs Shears
13 large red cans
2 " brass bound cans
1 square red can

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Materials in Store Room belonging to this Dep't

220 #3000 canvas bags	200 Aprons
500 #500 silver " "	148 sleeves
900 #20 muslin "	42 pairs
226 canvas express "	212 bars bar soap
1011 #1000 silver "	401 ½ do refined bar
2308 muslin express "	3 pcs fine Crash
4000 #10 " " "	11 " coarse "
1100 #5 " " "	750 needles
2790 #50 " " "	29 tin orles
2800 #5000 foils "	21 brass "
1803 #2500 muslin "	30 pair rubber mitts
1500 #30 " " "	3 copper callenders
195 #100 " "	6½ doz pr fireman mitts
6 doz iron annealing pans	3 counting boards
1 stand drawers	1 copper scoop

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Store Room – (Continued)

29 9/12 doz. boxes White Star Stay Binding

3 3/12 pairs Woollen Blankets

16 boxes Slate color Star Stay Binding

218 pcs American Brush Canvas

23 " Atlantic Mills Muslin

6 doz Clark's Spun Spool Cotton

8 pcs Gingham | 8 pcs Stay Linen

4 " Coat Color Canvas Muslin

6 " Slate " " "

30 " Brown Ticking | 2 doz Black Spool Thread

181 lbs Twine (Chandler) | 1 Lasts Pair

24 " 30 " " (balls) | 4 Sets Screws

13 doz Coats 6 lbs White Thread, Raleigh @ 35 cts @ 40

186 5/12 ft Leather Bolting (Linch Bingle)

15 Galvanized Iron Buckets

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Store Room (Concluded)

7 pcs Jeans Ladies' Buckskin Gloves

13 " " Mens " "

" " " " Mitts #1

7 " " " " #2

Bullion Balances and Weights

Coiners Office 4 lb beam capacity 1500 ozs.

25 weights from 1/100 oz. to 500 ozs

Coining Room 4 lb bin. beam capacity 3000 ozs.

23 weights from 1/100 oz. to 300 ozs.

Coins Delivery 3/4 lb 10 in beam capacity 1000 ozs.

12 weights from 1/100 oz. to 300 ozs.

1 weight 859. 375 oz.	1 weight 130. 25 oz.
1 " 875. "	1 " 81.87 "
1 " 803.25 "	1 " 53.25 "
1 " 269.25 "	

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Balances and Weights (continued)

in Melting Room 1 Assay balance

1 balance & 8 Troy weights for Examination

by Iron pattern Scales agate bearings, suspending arms

1 " " " cocktail " "

6 Old style balances (out of use)

18 Agate bearings cocktail suspending arms (four odd)

extra parts of Old balances in separate shape

2 Pith balances special pattern (in Melting Room)

1 balance in Drawing Room

Miscellaneous

6 1/4 press pins | 1 press pin handle

4 pair Chittal Iron Rolls (1 pair in - 3 pair out)

Full sets Brass Bands 32 pieces in

" " " " 32 " each

1 Bending Machine | 2 Spindles

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Miscellaneous (continued)

Cast Steel Rolls 2 pair marked "No 4" (in)

" " " 2 " " " (out)

German " 8 "

" " 1 "

Milling " 1 "

1 extra adjustment for No. 3 — 2 extra adjustments for "No 4"

2 pairs Printing Rolls (out)	3 extra Guides for Rolls
2 " " " (in)	4 sets Knives " "
1 extra set End Plates	

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September 2nd 85

Mrs H. Neaves
1332 Howard ave
Mrs Neaves

I regret that Sickness prevents You from reporting for duty R.

Before leaving the City it is very essential to first obtain a Leave of absence from the Superintendent in compliance with the rules of the Institution and I would advise that You write to him to that effect.

Very Respectfully
Your &c
H. L. Steel
Coiner.

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COINAGE DEPARTMENT

September 4th 1885

Hon Chas. M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3514 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to-wit:

Cleaner @ $2.00 per diem
Jno. McClain vice Thos. Marsh
James Hulley " Henry Wesley
Cutter @ $2.00 per diem
Ludwig Lang vice Chas. F. Sauer
Coining Room @ $2.00 per diem
D. L. Linehart vice Alex. Crawford
Medal Room @ $2.00 per diem
Francis Hand vice Samuel Bailey

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Keller & 2d do Asst
H. H. James vice F. H. Ackley resigned.
Also Assistant to take effect upon
Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
R. E. Preston
Supt.

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Mint of the United States

September 5th 85

Mrs E. Stevens
1628 - 16th St

Please call here on receipt of this to complete your Signature on the Pay roll, as the is very important before sending the roll to Washington.

Very Respectfully
H. Linderman
Asst

Mint of the United States

Sept 5th 85

Mrs A. J. Gregory

Madam;

We are awaiting your Signature to the pay roll for last month, as it is important that the roll should be completed at the earliest moment.

Very Respectfully
H. Linderman
Asst

September 9th 5

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir,

I have the honor to recommend the transfer in this Department of Mr Thos Mc Blain Cleaner @ $3. p/diem to an assistant in the Coining room @ $3. p/diem vice John D. Sinay to be removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. A. Steel
Asst.

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September 9' 1885

Hon Daniel. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment in this Department the following, to wit:

John Leary, Cleaner @ $3 per diem vice Thomas Blair Transferred to Coining room

Jas Cruikshank, Roller @ $2.50 per diem vice W.H.K. Smith to be removed.

John Hauck, Cutter @ $2.50 per diem vice Wm Knabb to be removed

Mary Groes, annealer @ $3 per diem vice J.W. Ricker to be removed

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These appointments to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. L. Stack
Coiner.

Sept 12th 6

Hon. Daniel M. Tilden Superintendent

Sir.

This morning a number of the Cutters, annealers and rollers, employed in the rolling room, waited upon me, and their Spokesman Mr. Lonard declared that it was impossible to accomplish the work, if the Old Hands were discharged in the manner they have been, and this was so declared by all present, and wished to know what guarantee they had. and they were not willing to proceed in this uncertain manner or something to that effect and I solicited them to proceed with their work, and that I would consult

with the Superintendent with ref-
-erence to the matter

The names of these parties as far
as I can ascertain, are as follows

Chas Leonard	Thomas Gillespie
H. W. Murray.	S. K. Thomas.
F. H. Coles.	J. J. Webster.
H. H. Haigh.	Robt. R. Broomal. 1st General Supt.
H. C. Little	Frank. Knight.

Very Respectfully
Your
Obedient Servant.
W. D. Steel
Coroner

With the Superintendent, with reference to the matter.

The names of these parties are known as follows.

Chas Leonard
H. W. Murray
F. D. Cole.
W. D. Haigh
H. C. Little
C. Comes Dilks Jr
S. K. Thomas.
S. E. Keely
R. Broomall in general Supt.
Frank Knight.

In addition to the above, I will state that some of these men before going to work ask that notice be given them in advance should they be selected for dismissal.

Very Respectfully.
Your Obedient Servant.
W. D. Hall
Comm

September 12 5

Mr. Daniel R. Ft.

Superintendent.

Sir.

This morning a number of the Cutters, Annealers, & Rollers employed in the Rolling room, waited upon the Mr Their Spokesman Mr. Leonard declared that they would not do any further work, unless they had guarantees from the Superintendent. I suggested that they had better go back to work, & they declined, standing about in idleness, saying they must have assurance before doing it.

The names of these parties as far as I can ascertain, are as follows.

Chas Leonard
H. W. Murray.
F. H. Cobb
H. H. Haigh
H. C. Little

Thomas Gillespie
S. K. Thomas.
C. F. Webber
R. Broomal (Lineal. Opl.)
Frank W. Knight.

Very Respectfully
Your
Obedient Servant
Ad. Steel
Coroner

September 14th 1885

Wm. Dan'l McMurtrie
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section # 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Ellis Anna R. Brooks for temporary employment in this Department as an Assistant @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. A. Steel
Coiner.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

December 14th 1885

Hon Daniel N. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes. I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to-wit;

Coining room, @ $3. per diem
Mr John J. Borhek, vice Henry H. Leigh removed.

Temporary Adjuster @ $1.75 per diem.
Miss Lillie Jordan.

These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
W. E. Steel
Coiner.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

September 15 1885

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the Provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate from the General Department and recommend the appointment of Mr Robert S. Monks as a Cutter @ $2.00 per diem, vice Henry H. Murray removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. E. Steel
Coiner.

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September 15th 5

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

I have the honor to recommend the Transfer in this Department of Mr John Leary Cleaner @ 3d. p/diem to a Cutter @ 2 1/2 p/diem, vice Elias Leonard removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
A. L. Slack
Coiner

September 16th 1865

Wm Dulin Esq
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to-wit;

Thomas Mac Intyre as a Cutter @ $2 per diem
vice Henry B. Little removed, and

from the Revenue Department

Henry C. Hamilton as a Cutter @ $2 per diem
vice George K Thomas removed

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

September 16th 5

Hon Daniel M Fox
Superintendent
Sir!

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment in this Department of Mr Samuel Dunwald as a Cleaner @ $3. per diem vice John Leary Transferred to a Cutter.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Steel
Coiner

September 17th 75

Hon Rand Mint

Superintendent

Sir!

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to-wit;

Annealers, @ $2. per diem.

James Glenning, vice Thomas Gillespie, removed.
Edward Cavanaugh " J. F. Webster "

and from the General Department,

James J. Thorpe as a Cutter @ $2½ per diem, vice

J. H. Coles removed.

Very Respectfully
W. J. Steel
Coiner

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States
AT PHILADELPHIA.

September 17th 1855

Hon. Wm. McMullin

My Dear Sir,

Your favor of yesterday at hand & I will be pleased to give your request in regard to your friend Mr Brockbanks favorable consideration and in the meantime will give him an opportunity of working in the Melting room after regular hours, whereby he can have all the advantages of making creations which will be agreeable to him.

Very truly Yours

W. Millis

September 18th 5

Hon Dan'l M Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 2504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mr James Kane as an Assistant Clerk in this Mint.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Stearns
Coiner

September 18th 5

Hon Robt M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir;

I have the honor to recommend that the pay of Mr James D. Thorp be increased to $3.25 p diem, as foreman of the Cutters in this Department, instead of $2.00 p diem as heretofore.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. D. Steel
Coiner

Light-21. Fo-

Sir.

I want a Option from the Wash room in this Department I would like a Perpetual from you as to cost- I would thank you to call here upon receipt of this.

Very Respt.
H. L. Clark
Comp.

Thos. Hammett.
322 Vine St.

Copies sent to Exc. mgr. + Foreman

September 21st 75

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Miss Ann Randall as an adjuster @ $1.75 p diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss Lizzie L. Dana resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant.
W. S. Steel.
Owner

September 22nd 1885

Hon Neal A Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section 2350 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Miss Catharine E. Salsbury as a temporary adjuster @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Comm.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

September 22nd 6

Hon Daniel N. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section # 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Annie M. Shank as a temporary Adjuster @ $1.25 per diem, to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. L. Stack
Coiner

Philadelphia 22nd 0-

Jas. Ross Snowden Esq.
Superintendent -
Sir.

I have the honor to enclose a letter from Mr. H. Trozmer relative to an old Balance belonging to the Mint, now at his factory for inspection, as to whether it was worth rebuilding &c.

The Balance he offers to allow Four hundred Dollars for, is in use at the Southern end of the Coining Room and was intended to take the place of the old balance above referred to.

It has been subjected for about Four years to constant weighings of the heavy Silver Coinage, and is found to be too

light in construction to be relied upon, and if you deem it advisable to entertain the proposals contained in Mr Twomeys letter, you would give us a new balance in the Coining Room, that would also do the work of the large General Transfer Balance used for weighing heavy bars, and Ingots and Clippings in case of accident to it.

Very Respectfully,
Obedient Servant.
W. D. Steel
"
Coiner.

September 23 1805

Sir.

In reply to the inquiry contained in acting Director Scotts letter of the 22nd inst. I have the honor to state, that there were delivered to the Cashier June 23. 1805 Gold from Coins. as follows - to-wit:

5	D.E.	100.
1	½ E.	5.
15	E.	45.
11	¼ E.	27.50
106	Dollars	106.
		283.50

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant

Hon. Dan.l M. Fox.
Superintendent.

W. Dandridge
Comr.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

September 22 1880

Sir.

I have the honor to enclose a letter from Mr. A. Seymour relative to an old Balance belonging to the Mint, now at the factory for inspection, as to whether it was worth rebuilding &c.

This Balance was formerly at the Southern end of the Coining room, and was displaced some years ago by the one now in use, and sent to Mr. A. for the purpose he states.

The present Balance occupying the place of the old one has been in constant use for the last 4 years in weighing the large amount of Silver bullion necessary to produce the large Coinage required

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,
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of This Mint — time has demonstrated that it is too light in conclusion to cope with the heavy amount of work required of it, Mr. Boerner, as you will observe, proposes to furnish both of the balances referred to, at figures which he gives, and for an additional sum which he makes will furnish an entire new balance in the Coining room, that will not only accurately perform the work required, but could be used to do the work falling upon the large Sampler Balance, in case of accident to it.

Very Respectfully.

Your Obedient Servant

Coiner.

Supt. Mint U. S. Ft.
Superintendent.

Septem. 24 65

Sir.

at what price will you furnish Brackets for this Department in quantities as required until Dec. 30th 1865

Samples can be seen here.

Very Respectfully.
W. S. Stuart.
Constr.

Messrs Blumer Rieb.
T. & H. Fund

Septem 23d 65

Mr Jos Drago
Sir;

Your offer to repair Copper Kettle for about 15. is accepted, and please attend to this matter immediately.

Very Respectfully
W. Stuart
Const

Sept 26th 65

Sir.

Will you please call here on Monday, the 28th for the purpose of getting that Coffin Inquisition settled up.

Very Respectfully
W. S. Steele.
Coroner.

Geo. Ferguson.
307. Branch.

Sept 26th 65

Sir.

At what figure will you furnish, one doz. Buckskins for the use of this Department.

Very Respectfully
W. S. Steele.
Coroner.

Johnathan Ricketts.
Johnstown.
Fulton Co.
N. Y.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Philadelphia 25th 1865

Sir.

I have the honor to inclose a list of the names of the Employes in this Department, with their Residence or Wards in which they live.

Very Respectfully.
Your Obedient Servant.
W. S. Stahl
Coiner.

Hon. Dan'l M. Fox.
Superintendent.

September 30th 5

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in this Department, to-wit;

William Benckert from Roller @ 2nd folio, to Cleaner @ 3. folio, vice James Kane transfered to Roller

and, James Kane from Cleaner @ 3. folio to Roller @ 2nd folio, vice Wm Benckert transfered to Cleaner.

To take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Coiner

September 30th 5

To the Honorable Judge
of the Court of Oyer Terminer
& Quarter Session
for the County of Philadelphia.

Sir,

Mr James Magee, an employe of the Department of the Mint, has been Summoned as a Juror in your Court.

I have the honor to request that he may be excused from serving, as his services here are very valuable, and it will put us to an inconvenience should he be away. Trusting that you may be able to grant this request.

I am

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia
COINAGE DEPARTMENT

Oct. 1 5

Jonathan Ricketts.

Dear Sir.

Yours of the 29th ult. the Sample marked "Fox" shall answer our first test, but yet it is light weight. Like the Samples of Buckskins we want both Light and Heavy Weights, to prove the Wolfskin can like ordinary Buckskin, the Skanks Light the back & neck Heavy. What is the Comparative price between the Wolfskins & the Buckskins in pieces, running 5. 6. or Ten inches. We prefer the Buff colored Sample in Buckskin, but would not want it all so Light in Skanks, as the Sample. Give price of Same & the difference in cost, between a perfect Skin & those having the ordinary sum of holes in them.

Jonathan Ricketts.
Johnstown
N. Y.

Yrs Respectfully
W. S. Stull
Coiner

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

at Philadelphia, October 1st 1886

Mr. W. Hearer
3332 Hartland ave

Mr. Hearer:

Your favor of this date
at hand & I will have coin
on receipt of this ready
for you to see you.

Very Respectfully
Yours &c
A. Loudenslager
Coiner

Dec 1 Pr-

Off.

Please Examine Coin

Mint Clerks are requested to
have the kindness to
examine the Coin
Shown to
Visitors
by
Chief Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

Feb'y 1st 1886

To the Honorable Judge
of the Court of Common Pleas
for the County of Philadelphia
Sir:

Mr. Richard M. Simmons an
employee of this Department of the Mint,
has been summoned as a juror in your Court.
I have the honor to request that he may be
excused from serving, as his services is engaged
in very important duties at this time, which
will require his undivided attention during
the month of February.
Should you grant this request
please notify
this office.

Very Respectfully
your Obt. Servt.
A. Loud
Coiner

October 1st 1865

Sir

I have the honor to state in reference to the Services rendered by Miss Mary L. Marshall for the month of July referred to in the Directors letter to you of the 30th ult, that upon examination I find that an error was made inadvertently in reporting Miss Marshalls time to me for that month, she having been overpaid, and the amount of $.67¢ will be refunded by her.

Very Respectfully.
Your O. S. Servant
J. C. Steel
Comdr

Hon. Jas. L. Fox.
Supervising Architect.

October 2nd 5

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir.

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in this Department, to-wit;

James Magner from a Cutter @ 2.00 p/diem, to an Annealer @ 3 p/diem, vice Mr Haggerty transferred to a Cutter.

and, William Haggerty from an Annealer @ 3. p/diem, to a Cutter @ 2.50 p/diem, vice James Magner transferred to Annealer.

These transfers to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob! Servant
W. A. Steel
Asst

October 7th 5

Hon Wm M Ivy
Superintendent
Sir

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Lewis O. Neil as an Assessor 3d. district, to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. D. Steel
Collector

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October 7th 5

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department as Adjusters @ $1.75 per diem, the following, to-wit:

Miss Elizabeth K. Yerkes vice Sallie E. Davis Resigned
" Mary Brown " M. Oliver "
Mrs Elsa L. Barrett " Annie S. Warfield "

Their appointment to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stuck
Assayer

October 6th 0-

Sirs

Will you please state by return mail if you can furnish an emery Wheel 10 inches diam, by 1½ inch face, similar in duction to piece of wheel sent to your address by Express

The wheel is to be used in grinding Chilled iron rolls, to cut free, and produce a fine finish.

In case you can furnish the wheel we will send spindle to you, that you may balance the wheel.

Please state cost and at what time it can be delivered.

Yours &c.

W. S. Steel

Coiner.

The Pratt & Whitney Co.

Hartford Conn.

October 9th 5

Hon Chas M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section #2504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Sarah L. Ulrich as an adjuster in this Department C.T. 1/45 from, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss M. Dean resigned.

Very Respectfully

Your Ob't Servant

W. J. Steel.

Coinst.

See next page

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

October 9th 5

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Mint

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department as Adjusters (a) 1st Class Melter, the following, to-wit:
Mary E Johnson vice M. Egan resigned
Sarah L. Allrich " Appointed as
Three appointments to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant,
A. L. Eckfeldt
Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

October 10th 5

Hon. Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir;

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in this Department, viz;

James Craikshank from Roller @ 2½ per diem, to Cleaner @ 3 per diem, vice Samuel Durrach transferred to Roller.

Samuel Durrach from Cleaner @ 3 per diem, to Roller @ 2½ per diem, vice James Craikshank transferred to Cleaner,

These transfers to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. J. Reed
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

[illegible]

Sir.

Enclosed please find order for the Coinage wheel with one pr. Collars this day. One Spindle.

Very Respectfully
Yr. obt. Servt.
C. Pollock
Coiner.

The Platt-Whitney Co.
Hartford.
Conn.

October 15th 5

Hon Dan'l M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section 2 3504 Revised Statute, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Edith L. Bunting as an Adjuster in this Department @ $1,400 per Annum, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss Jennie N. Hall, resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. Loud
Coiner

October 13th 5

Hon. Dan'l M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir I have the honor to State, that the estimated expense of Coining 100,000 bronze Cent planchets is about as follows, to-wit;

a Milling,	two mills 1½ hours 3 persons	$ 1.23
Annealing,	two furnaces 1 hour 5 "	1.92
Coining,	five Presses 4 hours 5 "	4.90
Counting,	two hours 4 persons	3.06
		$ 10.58

Very Res
Your

October 16th 6

Hon. Paul Fr.
Secretary of the
Treasury

Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section 2 of Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Kate Carlin as an adjutant in the Department of Public Schools, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss Annie E. Nolle resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Stebbins
Supt.

October 20th 5

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mrs Eliza L. Jefferson as an Assistant in this Department @ $1200 per annum, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss Frances E. Lord resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Chief

October 21st 65

Hon Danl M. Fox

Superintendent

Sirs

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Hannah Rodney Tunnell as an Adjuster in this Department @ $1.25 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss Kate C. Thompson resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
A. Boteler
Asst

October 22nd 5

Mr Orron A. Sherlin
Rocker
Sir,

By direction of the Superintendent, You are hereby notified that You are Suspended from duty pending the investigation of the assessment matter in which You are charged with, before the Hon Judge Arnold's Court.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Steel.
Coiner

October 23rd 85

Miss R.M. Hazlett
24 N 12th St Phila Pa.

Miss Hazlett.

By direction of the Superintendent You are hereby notified that your name has been dropped from the roll of this Institution, owing to your continued absence without leave when the Demands of the Department require your Services here.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
M. Steel
Supt

effect on 19th inst

October 26th 5

Hon Daniel M. Dod
Secretary of the Treasury
Sir,

I have the honor to enclose the resignation of miss Clara C. Kirk, an adjuster in this Department to take effect from October 31st
her place to be filled by miss Lucy A. Price

I am Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. Elliot
Chief

October 26th 0-

Sir

In reference to the communication of Mr A. Guest addressed to the Director relative to a face cutting machine used in European mints, I have the honor to state that at the time the Sizes assorting machine was erected at this mint, we were advised of the cutting machine & it was thought then, that it was not required.

Owing to the small working allowance we have on the planchets, & in case the blanks should not be uniform in thickness, as may happen, a hand adjustment would probably give a safer & quicker result in reducing the small percentage of heavy planchets that appear in our work. & I think it very questionable whether it would be a saving to introduce extra machinery for this purpose.

A machine claiming to do similar work more rapidly than hand adjustment was given a trial here several years ago and proved unsatisfactory, but I will take pleasure in having a trial given the Seiss cutting machine should it be deemed advisible to have it sent here.

The automatic assorting machines referred to are working very satisfactorily under our management and have no cause of complaint in regard to them.

Very Respectfully.
Your Obt. Servant
W. E. Steel
Coiner

Hon. David M. Fox.
Superintendent.

October 28th 65

Hon Dan'l M. Tod

Sir

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Maggie N. Johnston as an Assistant in this Department @ $1200 per Annum, to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Miss M.B. Zeller resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Steel.
Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
S DEPARTMENT.

October 29th 1875

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department as Assistants @ $1.75 per diem the following, to-wit;
Miss Agnes McEwen, vice Sarah L. Ulrich, Resigned
Miss Eliza Folwell, vice Miss Sabina M. Hazlett, dropped from the rolls after 15th inst.
These appointments to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. E. Steel
Supt

November 1st 65

Nathaniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate from the General Assortment, and recommend the appointment of George H. Fitler as an assistant in the "medal room", @ $2.00 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice George Wheatley to be removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. J. Steel
Coiner

November 10th 85

Pratt & Whitney Co
Hartford Ct.

We are very
much in need of the Corundum
Wheel ordered of you. When is the
very earliest time we may expect
it. Did you receive the Sample
sent you 11/12/.

Very Respectfully
W. S. Hall.
Comr

November 14th 5

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir

In accordance with the provision of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following persons

John F. Mehlig as a Cleaner @ $3 p diem
vice Edward Keyser to be removed

and as Fireman @ $2.50 p diem.
Isaac Reinecker vice Fred A Siemerell to be removed
and William A Green " Thos F. Keyser " " "

These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Leech
Coiner

November 16th 1885

Chief Draftsman
Superintendent
Sir:

In reply to your inquiries relative to the bills of the Corliss Machine Co. dated June 20th & 26th 1885, in so far as they relate to this Department, I have the honor to state, that the articles therein enumerated were received, the Annealing Tables & Jaws, Drawbench Chains & Dies, Scale Pans &c. Some were ordered on requisition by the Department upon notification by the Foreman that they were necessary

In reference to the days work charged on these bills the practice has been for the Foreman of the respective rooms to certify to their correctness, which was done.

I have no knowledge of the authority by

With the firm did the work.

Please find enclosed Memorandum Letters from the Foremen of Rolling & Coining Room and Mr Chief.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servt.
A. J. Steel
Coiner

November 1885

Hon. David M. Fox
Superintendent.

Sir

In reply to your enquiries relative to the bills of the [illegible] Machine Co. dated June 20th & 30th 1885, and the answer to this Department, I have the honor to state that the articles therein enumerated were received, consisting of Annealing Plates & Pans. Drawbench chain & Carriage, Gate bars &c, &c. And were ordered on requisition by the [illegible] Notification by the Foreman that they were [illegible].

In reference to the [illegible] work charged on these bills, with the ordering of which I had nothing to do, the [illegible] has been [illegible]

The Foreman of the respective Juries to certify to its being correct, which was done in this case, But on Referring to Mess Watts & Downing the Foremen in regard to the time then certified to by them, I find that they are unable to give any definite information about the [illegible] Mr Downing states although he believes the Charges to be correct, he will not be qualified to that effect, as he is not certain that is the case. Mr Watts name appears on the bill as making correct 58 2 days time made by the men of this Jurisdiction. And he now says that he did not intend to cover that, as he only marked for the item & wrote his name, but I have no hesitation in saying that it was understood at the time that he was signing for all the items embraced

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in the bill commencing from the last signature down, which he had been accustomed to do in other bills of a like nature.

The extra heavy fully charged on the bill I find was ordered by the Superintendents Dept. for use by the new Agar Mud and is now in use on the Counter Shaft in that connection.

Upon further inquiry I learn from the Foreman that they cannot specify at what particular point all the work was done, but that the time is charged only to the Several Departments

Enclosed please find memorandum letters on the subject from the Foremen of the Rolling & Coining Room & Mr Eliot.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt

November 21st 5

Wm Saml M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

I have the honor to State, that the order for Forty thousand (40,000) Dollars in Dimes for your letter of the 12th inst, is now completed, the Balance having been delivered to the Cashier this morning.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servant
W. J. Steel
Coiner

Nov. 24th 84

Miss. A. M. Norris.

Well ;-
please return to the Mint, at
once, permission can not be
given you, to be absent, from
your Work, for the time speci-
-fied. Very Respectfully
W. Elliott
Coiner

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November 27 5

Sir.

Mr. Ezra Calhoun, the Chief Weigher in this Department, died after a short illness on yesterday morning, Nov. 26th.

Mr. Calhoun was one of the oldest male employees of the Mint, having entered the Institution in 1853, by appointment of Hon. Thos M. Pettit, the Director during the administration of President Pierce, and has always been regarded, through his long continued service of 32 years, as performing his various responsible duties with fidelity and efficiency.

Very respectfully

Wm. E. Eckfeldt

Coiner

Hon. Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA

Nov. 27th 1885

My dear Madam.

I sincerely sympathize with you in this your sad bereavement — the loss of your beloved husband.

I desire to add my testimony to his long career of usefulness and worth in this Institution.

My association with Mr. Calhoun has been of the most pleasant character. He was greatly respected by all, and his loss to us will be almost irreparable.

I gladly render this well deserved tribute to his memory.

Very respectfully

Wm. E. Steel

Coiner.

Mrs. Mary A. Calhoun

Nov. 27th 95

Mrs Annie Shafer.

[illegible]

- be correctly, you ask that you intended resigning your position as adjutrix, if so. Will you please send in your resignation, not later than Monday the 30th of Nov. to take place from the time you left, which I think was the first of December address your Resignation to the Coroner. Very Respectfully

W. J. Lutz
Coroner

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

December 1st.

Hon Judge Sutton
Dr Sir

You would oblige me by
drawing for Drawing as soon as possible
as Mr Pearson has my valuable time
at this time.

Very Respectfully
W. Patterson
Coiner

Dec 1825

December 2nd 5

Hon David M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir

I have the honor to re=
commend the following transfers in this Department.
to wit:

Daniel S. Fuller Coiner @ 4. p Diem
to Chief Weigher @ 5. p Diem Vice Ezra Calhoun, deceased.

William Coons Coining room @ 3 p Diem
to Coiner @ 4. p Diem Vice Dan'l S. Fuller

John McCormick Annealer @ 3. p Diem
to Coining room @ 3 p Diem Vice Wm. Coons.

These transfers to take effect upon Confirmation

Very Respectfully
W. S. Reed
Coiner

December 4th 5

Supplies required for Coiners Department.

5 Drs. Tablets (assorted)
3½ Gross Lead Pencils (Faber's) #2
1 qt. Fluid Mucilage.
2 Gross Steel Pens, best quality.
2 Drs Pen Holders.
Half Dz. Small bottles Red Ink.
One Half Dz. Rubber Erasers
One Half Dz Letter Copying Brushes.
One Half Dz bottles Black Ink.
(100) One Hundred Medal account: (Gold) Blanks
(100) One Hundred Medal account (Silver) "
(500) Stock Room account "
(1000) Silver Coin (one Thousand) delivery "
(1000) Leave of Absents, one Thousand. (Foreman) "

1000) One Thousand Leave of Absence (Coins) blanks
1000) One Thousand Requisitions. "
500) Five Hundred Gold Medals Bills "
500) Five Hundred Minor Coin do "
200) Two Hundred Monthly Reports Gold & Silver Notices "

December 8th 65

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir

I have the honor to recommend the transfer in this Department of Mr Nathan S. Beckley from Assistant Foreman Coining room @ $375 per ann, to Chief Weigher @ $5 per diem to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Mr Ezra Calhoun, deceased.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servant
W. A. Steel
Coiner

Dec. 6th 6

Miss A. M. Norris

33 S. 13th St.

Miss Norris.

By reason of in attention to duty & absent without leave I am directed by the Superintendent to State that your name has been dropped from the roll.

Very Respectfully.
W. S. Stull
Coin.

Dec. 6th 6

Miss J. Johnston

111 S. 13th St.

Miss Johnston.

By reason of in attention to duty & absent without leave I am directed by the Superintendent to State that your name has been dropped from the roll.

Very Respectfully.
W. S. Stull
Coin.

December 25th 1880

Hon. Dan'l W. Fox.
Superintendent
Sir.

In reference to the three tons of Dimes said to be short 15 pieces, referred to in the letter of the Treasurer at Chicago, I have the honor to state that in preparing Dimes for delivery the Custom is to first count 1000 pieces on a board used for the purpose and test them by weighing, and again weigh them when made up into 1000. Packs, and when finally delivered to the Cashier are weighed in his presence.

The Counters in the Dept. Mess Fuller, Conn, Dorff & George are examined & careful Counters & I don't think it possible that a mistake occurred here

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. Barber
Engraver

Decmbr 26th 65

Hon Lewis M. Pitt
Lieutenant
Sir.

I have the honor to transmit herewith the bills of the Dorr-Hess machine co. ending June 30th 1865 marked for the articles thereon as being received, and I have requested a bill of the separate items to be rendered which they have done, as relates to the Draw-Benches and the Milling machines

You will notice in the original bill that the charge in connection with the Draw benches are $775. and for the milling machine $1505. and in the bills of items furnished additional the amount for the Draw benches are 791.11 and the milling machines is $522.25 The difference they say cannot be gotten at any closer now and that they will make no charge for it.

Very Respectfully
Your obt Servt
W. D. Lee

December 26th 1865

Hon Danl Ric. Ft
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to transmit herewith the bills of the Ort & Field machine Co ending June 30th 1865. marked for the articles therein mentioned as being received, and under Your instructions I have requested from the Company that a bill of the Separate items be rendered, which they have done, so far as relates to the Draw benches marked # 6. and slotting machine marked # 4, the other articles not requiring further itemizing.

You will notice in the original bill, that the charges in connection with the Draw benches # are $7.75 and for the milling machine # $5.00. and in the itemized for the same, the amount for the Draw benches aggregate $9.11 and the milling machine $2.25, the difference the Company

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they cannot be gotten at any closer at this late period, but they will make no charge for the difference, according the amount of the lumped bills.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
Robt Patterson
Coiner

Philadelphia, Dec. 28th 1885

The Ott Flour Machine Co.
#1516 Spring Garden St, Phila.

Gentlemen;

I have submitted your itemized account to the Superintendent, so that he may make the report required of him to the Department at Washington, and he instructs me to say that he cannot understand why your itemized Statement, if it be an exact duplicate from your books should be more than the bills originally sent. He must be much obliged to have a line from you on this subject at your earliest convenience.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. Loud
Coiner.

December 27th 65

Hon Paul N. Cox
Superintendent
Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a letter from the Ott Steel machine Co in reply to mine of yesterday, sent them in accordance with your request, asking for information relative to the Differences in the account in the detailed statement rendered, and that in the original bill as presented for material furnished just prior to June 30th 1865.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Treas

December 29th 5

Hon Dan'l M. Tod
Superintendent
Sir;

Relative to the bills of the Orr & Sons Machine Co dated June 30th 1865, in so far as they relate to this Department, I have the honor to state, that the bill for the Clock marked #1. was delivered in September and taken from here for some alteration, and then adjusted to the rolls about October 3rd.

Items marked #2. were received here about the same time and intended for equipments for the Draw benches, as duplicates to supply the place of those in use in case of accident.

The Milling Machine marked #3. was put in place in September and afterwards

brace was adjusted to the jaw for milling large models, Completing the machine about the middle of November.

After the final delivery of the articles belonging to this department, then the bills were marked as having received the articles.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Cosiar.

December 31st 5

Hon Land M. Pratt

Superintendent

Sir;

I have the honor to state that your instructions for the execution of the stated amounts of different denominations of Coin for the month have been complied with, and transmit herewith a Statement showing in detail the result.

The amounts that appear in the Statement in addition to the amount of regular Coinage asked for, are Proof pieces, struck for delivery to the medal clerk, except the cents and 1000 pieces in 3d. nickels.

This months Coinage exhibits a very Satisfactory showing, when it will be remembered that under your directions of the 17th inst, to coin

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$2,000,000 in Eagles & Half Eagles a total of 300,000 pieces in addition to the 1,700,000 pieces in Silver Dollars, 430,000 pieces of Dimes, 500. pieces in Gold dollars and 18,800 pieces in Half & Quarter Dollars there was only 12 working days left to accomplish this. and especial commendation is due all branches of the Department for the zeal manifested in pressing this large coinage.

I also enclose the Statement of Coinage executed during the Calendar Year ending December 31st 1875.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
M. Staak
Coiner

December 31st 5

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to report that the following Dies were used in the Coinage of 1885, to-wit;

DIES.	GOLD.							SILVER.				MINOR.						
	DOUBLE EAGLES.	EAGLES.	HALF EAGLES.	THREE DOLLARS.	QUARTER EAGLES.	DOLLARS.	TOTAL.	STANDARD DOLLARS.	HALF DOLLARS.	QUARTER DOLLARS.	DIME.	TOTAL.	FIVE CENT.	THREE CENT.	ONE CENT.	TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
OBVERSE	2	10	16	2	2	4	36	89	2	2	31	124	30	3	48	81	241
REVERSE	2	9	16	2	2	6	35	88	2	2	28	120	24	3	48	75	230
TOTAL.	4	19	31	4	4	9	71	177	4	4	59	244	54	6	96	156	471

These numbers agree with the Numbers reported by the Engraver as delivered to the Coiner, during the year 1885; and include the Dies used for Striking Proof Coins.

All of these dies were destroyed this day by

by the use of the forge and sledge, in accordance with the provisions of Section no 3550 Revised Statutes.

The following statement exhibits the number of pieces struck per pair of dies used, during the year 1885. and includes the dies employed to strike proof coin, as the proof pieces appear in the aggregate number of Pieces struck.

Statement of the Number and Denomination of Pieces Coined, with the Number of dies used in their production, and average production to the pair of dies, during the Year 1885.

Denomination.	Number of Pieces Coined	Number of dies used. OBVERSE.	REVERSE.	TOTAL.	Number of pieces struck per pair of dies used.
Quarter Eagles	528	2	2	4	414
Eagles	253.627	10	9	19	26.687
Half Eagles.	601.506	16	15	31	38.807
Three Dollars	910	2	2	4	455
Quarter Eagles	887	2	2	4	444
Dollars	12.205	4	5	9	2.712
Total Gold	869.863	36	35	71	24.503
Standard Dollars	17.787.767	89	88	177	200.992
Half Dollars	6.130	2	2	4	3.065
Quarter Dollars	14.530	2	2	4	7.265
Dimes	2.533.427	31	28	59	85.879
Total Silver	20.341.854	124	120	244	166.737
Five Cents	1.476.490	30	24	54	54.686
Three Cents	4790	3	3	6	1597
One Cent	11.765.384	48	48	96	245.112
Total minor	13.246.664	81	75	156	169.829
Gold.	869.863	36	35	71	24.503
Silver.	20.341.854	124	120	244	166.737
Minor.	13.246.664	81	75	156	169.829
Grand Total	34.458.381	241	230	471	146.320

Very Respectfully
H. L. Steele Coiner

January 4th 65

Hon Danl M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate from the General Department and recommend the appointment of Wm David Lagomarsino as a Cutter On the 29th instant, to take effect upon Confirmation, Vice W. L. Frazier resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. J. Steel
Comdr.

January 4th 6

Hon. Dan'l. M. Fox.
Superintendent
Sir.

In reference to the favor of the asst. Treasurer, U.S. at Washington (D.C.) relative to the alleged shortage of $1.50 in Dimes Transfer order #2993 shipped to the asst. Treasurer at Chicago, I have the honor to state, that we are still of the opinion that when delivered to the Mint Co. they were right, but never the less will enclose the amount in Dimes $1.50.

I also enclose one Dime in lieu of the blank found in bags Transfer order No. 13046 as it was supposed to have gotten among the coined pieces at the Mint, by being carried off by the feeder before being struck.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob. Servt.
N. O. Stockton

January 5th 6

Hon. Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504, Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mr Henry Opper "Machinist in the Coining room" @ $3.25 p/diem, in the place of Mr Nathan S. Beckley formerly Asst Foreman transferred to Chief Weigher.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. S. Steel
Coiner

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January 6th 6

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir;

I have the honor to enclose herewith, a Statement showing the number of Trade Dollars struck each fiscal year since June 30th 1878.

These pieces were proof, and delivered to the medal clerk for sale.

There is no Trade Dollars on hand.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. E. Eckels
Coin

Statement of the number of Trade Dollars (proof) struck, each fiscal year since June 30th 1878.

Period.	Pieces.
1879.	642.
1880.	1.473.
1881.	1.083.
1882.	1.102.
1883.	1.000.
1884.	264.
Total.	6.564.

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Coiner.

* These pieces were struck from proof dies for sale to numismatists, and no other coinage of this kind was executed during the fiscal years since the regular coinage was suspended in December 1877.

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Hon Dan'l M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with your request of this date, I have the honor to transmit herewith a statement showing the number of Trade dollars struck each fiscal year since June 30th 1878, a total of 6564 pieces.

These pieces were struck from proof dies and delivered to the medal clerk for sale to Numismatists, no other coinage of this kind was executed since the regular coinage was suspended in December 1878. and there are none remaining on hand.

Very Respectfully

Your Obt Servant

W. E. Steel.

Coiner

January 6th 6

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir:

In accordance with your request of this date, I have the honor to transmit herewith a Statement showing the number of Trade dollars struck each fiscal Year since June 30th 1878. a total of 6564 Pieces.

These Pieces were struck from Proof dies and delivered to the medal clerk for Sale to Numismatists, no other Coinage of this kind was executed during these Periods, and there are none remaining on hand.

Very Respectfully

Chas. Off. Director

F. A. Taelbcoiner

January 6th

Hon Robt M. Patterson
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to report that $14000. in Dimes were delivered to the Cashier this morning in addition to $13.000 delivered on the 4th inst, a total of $27,000. for the week, which result is in excess of the amount promised by $2000. and in accordance with your instructions I will proceed with this Coinage until all the available bullion for the purpose is used.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. Loud
Coiner

January 28th 6

J. M. D. Taylor Esq
233 So 4th St

My Dear Sir,

Your favor of yesterday relative to the County Blank bonds for the Envelopes at hand.

The blank bonds are about being prepared and will be ready for distribution in a few days, when I will be pleased to send you one, and until then, the only risk the issue of the proposed county [illegible] a Schedule for future reference.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
M. S. Steel
Comr

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January 14th 1865

Hon. Chas. M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

I return herewith the Cent, date of 1820. submitted by Mr Drummond of the Secret Service Division for an opinion as to whether it was genuine, and have the honor to state, that after examination there is no question but that the piece was struck from genuine dies.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. S. Steel
Coiner

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January 16' 6

Hon Chas M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

I have the honor to report the delivery of 21.870. in Dimes to the Cashier this morning, total for the week 33870. a coinage of Dimes to this date of the month of 60.870. making 608.700 Pieces. There has also been delivered 868.000 Standard Silver dollars, a grand total to this date of 1476700 Pieces.

All available bullion for the manufacture of Dimes has now been coined.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Steel
Coiner

January 27 1885

Hon. Dan'l M. Fox.
Superintendent.
Sir.

The balance, situated in the passage way leading to the Rolling room, used for weighing Gold & Clippings to and from the Wash room being deficient in small weights, I have in accordance with your instructions inquired of Mr. H. Foermer relative to furnishing them, and he will make a set of Troy weights from 200 ounces down to the 100th part of an ounce, all finished and adjusted to Assay conformed, with the U.S. Standard, for Forty five (45) dollars, the weights below one ounce will be made of Aluminium; These weights are necessary, as we frequently have [illegible]

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at the Scales for the reason that the Weights on hand are in use elsewhere, and I would respectfully recommend that the deficiency be supplied

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. E. Steel
Coiner

February 4th 86

Mrs. M.C. Woodville.

Dear Madam.

Would you please notify us, at what time you will be able to report for duty, and the cause for your continued absence.

Very Respectfully

H. J. Ettl

Comdr.

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Henry Deutschländer.

Gentlemen.

We find upon investigation, that we are indebted to you, in the amount of your bill, which duplicate of the same, on it will be paid. We regret that we could have rendered no more undue delay.

Yours Very Respectfully

H. J. Ettl

Comdr

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March 4th 6

Miss Lizzie B. Price
Ozaukee Wis.
Miss Price.

It is very
Necessary that we should have our
Pay Rolls all completed for the
month Ft. Please go before a
Notary Public and have executed
a Power of Attorney and send the
same here, designating some one
in the Mail to you Want to col-
-lect your wages. If you are
not Physically able to attend
to this matter, nor is there a
Notary within a reasonable
distance, Please notify me at
once

Yours very Respectfully
H. S. Steele
Jag.
Comd

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March 6th 6.

Hon Alex M. Key
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3564 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Lizzie A. Keating as an Adjuster in this Department @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Anna M. Norris resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Stee[illegible]
Coiner

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March 8th 6

Miss J. A. Perkins.

Dear Madam.

We are in receipt of a power of attorney from Azzie B. Price authorizing you to collect her money, call to-day if possible, if not half past 9 o'clock, on the first thing in the morning.

Yours Respectfully
W. S. Steel
Coiner.

March 12th 86

Mrs. Lizzie A. Rice
Carlton rd
Mrs Rice;

Your letter was handed to me by the Superintendent, and he desires me to say, that you will please report for duty at the expiration of the time your leave of absence was originally granted for.

Very Respectfully
W. Steel
Coiner

March 12th 86

Mrs. M. E. Woodville
2415 Spruce st
Mrs Woodville;

As we have not heard from you lately the Superintendent desires me to inquire when you expect to report for duty.

Very Respectfully
W. Steel
Coiner

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March 8th 80.

Hon Alex M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate from the General Department and recommend the appointment of George W. Gordon as an Annealer @ $2.00 per diem, to take effect upon information, vice Joseph Wilferty to be removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Leech
Coiner

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March 1st 6

Mrs M.C. Woodville
1116 Spruce st
Mrs Woodville;

I am pleased to learn that your mother health is improving, and that being the case the Superintendent wishes me to say that he would like you to report before the first of next month, as it is necessary for all the employes to be present.

Very Respectfully
H. L. Steel
Com.

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March 18th 6

Hon Chas M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mrs Phoebe Earle Gibbons as an Adjuster in this Department 1st proximo, to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Miss Lizzie McCullough resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant,
W. S. Stewart
Coiner.

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March 30th 1886

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in this Department, viz;
William Comer, Dining room @ $3. p/diem to Counter @ $3.00 p/diem, vice James Beale, to be removed.
and, Samuel C. Dunwald from Roller @ $2.50 p/diem, to Dining room @ $3. p/diem, vice William Lam transferred to Counter.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servant
M. S. Stack
Coiner

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March 20th 6

Hon Chas M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3514 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate from the Chief Coiner and recommend the appointment of the following, to-wit;

Frank Hendricks as a Roller @ 2.00 p diem,
vice Samuel C. Dimmick transferred to Coining room.

and, James Kennedy as a Cutter @ 2.00 p diem
vice H. B. Hough to be removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. A. Leech
Coiner.

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March 31st 1886

Hon. David M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Elizabeth Moore as an adjuster in this Department Vice Miss Mc Mordillo resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. E. Steel
Coiner.

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April 9th 1886.

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3564 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mr Edward S. Lacey as a Cleaner in this Department @ $3.00 p/diem to take effect upon Confirmation, vice William R. Linton to be removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. D. Steel
Coiner

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April 12th 1886

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in this Department, Viz;

Samuel B. Quenald Coining room @ 3. p diem, to Cutter @ 2.50 p diem, vice John McEntire.

John McCormick Annealer @ 3.00 p diem, to the Coining room @ 3. p diem, vice Samuel B. Quenald, and John McEntire Cutter @ 2.50 p diem, to an Annealer @ 3.00 p diem, vice John McCormick.

Very Respectfully,
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Steel
Coiner

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April 26th, 1886.

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Ella C. Miller as a temporary adjuster in this Department @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss Annie Walsh, resigned.

Very Respectfully,

Your Ob't Servant

A. E. Fleet.

Coiner

April 25th 46

R. Hall Esq

Dear Sir,

In reply to your note of this date I am glad to say that your request in regard to Miss Hafflefinger's desire to work from two to eight will be complied with, and I have notified her to that effect.

Very Truly Yours,
W. Steel
Coiner

May 1st 46.

Mr H. Foemer
110 Market St

Sir,

I am directed by the Superintendent to say that You will please return to the Mint the large Balance with all its belongings that has been in your possession for some time past for the purpose of inspection as to whether it could be repaired.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Serv't
W. Steel
Coiner

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May 3rd 1866

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the Provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mr Joseph B. Mc Elhone as a Roller in this Department @ $2.00 p diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice John F. Shroder transferred to the General Department.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stell
Coiner

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May 7th 1880

Hon. Neal M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir;

I have the honor to report that in accordance with your instructions, trials was made with the File Guard sent here for that purpose by Mrs Mary D. Ayres of San Francisco, and after several trials with different Operatives and testing by rapidity and effectiveness of work, - find that its adoption here, would not facilitate business, or be of any apparent benefit to the government.

Very Respectfully,
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Steel
Coiner

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May 10th 6.

Hon Dan'l M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In explanation of the criticism of the Director, concerning the proportion of Gold Coinage executed in this Mint during april, as appears in his letter of the 4th inst referred to me, I have the honor to State that I endeavor to comply with the letter of instructions but find it frequently impracticable to do so, by reason of the irregular and ever varying quality of the metal with regard both to hardness and toughness, which prevents us from calculating with certainty on the exact amount which a fixed weight of metal will produce.

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These fluctuations are particularly apparent in the blanking of the Cent pieces, and should good blanks fail to be produced from the strip, a not unusual occurrence, these have to be remelted into ingots and again rolled into strips, thus consuming a large amount of time, and completely upsetting all our calculations.

I need not say that these latter, under the circumstances are especially difficult and none can be certain while the limit of the order is to remain, and by no possibility can be arrived at till on the last working day. It is hardly necessary to say that the first duty of the Mint is to comply with the Congressional enactment with regard to the

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Coinage of two million Standard Silver dollars per month. This is mandatory, and this fixed amount has to be assured before the attention of any department can be turned to the Coinage of Gold, the limit of which even under instructions are vague and uncertain.

In April last the Silver in Stock proved intractable, and I did not accomplish my quota as soon as desired or expected. This delayed a delivery of $546000. in Half Eagles (subsequently delivered in the first part of the current month,) which would have made the delivery of that Coinage, had they been delivered in April, $636000. instead of $90000.

I notice that the Director says in his letter referred to above, that by reason of the

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misapportionment in April and prior months it will now be necessary for you [me] to so adjust between the two denominations authorized, the amount coined in May, that the aggregate Gold Coinage of your [this] Institution since it was restricted to the Eagles and Half Eagles, will be in the proportion it would have been, had the instructions been followed literally."

I may say that since we were restricted to coin Eagles and Half Eagles in Oct 1885. the amount delivered has been as follows:

	Pieces.	Value
Eagles.	202.220	$ 2.022.200
Half Eagles	697.960	3.484.800

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As the expressions used in the letter announcing the allotments of Gold, each month were rather vague as to whether Pieces or value was intended, it was presumed that Values were meant. If that view be correct there is still wanted $50,000 in Half Eagles, if $5 Pieces in Pieces of Half Eagles was intended there is still required $1165,000 in Eagles to comply with the Director's request.

I would thank you for the information desired, and in either case I desire to know whether only one denomination is required this month to make the adjustment.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stell
Coiner

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11 May 10th 1886.

Hon Chas M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In reply to the letter of the Director, of the 7th inst - referred to me by you, I have the honor to State, that my effort to fill the requirement of the Director for the delivery of both Gold and Silver Coins during a given month is unavoidably interrupted by the varying quality of the metal which renders uncertain my Calculations of estimated product.

The proportion of the Congressional Silver quota which the Director may assign to this mint, occupies our first effort to meet and the Gold Coinage is confined to such

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occasional days or hours as we can detach from the Silver working. Of in the Gold working we are harrassed by refractory or unkindly metal, a delay may occur, which will disturb the exact ratio of the Gold Coinage of that month. I need hardly remind you that the sad lack of Storage room here forbids a Storage of Coin to draw upon for balancing.

With reference to the Gold delivery of last month, permit me to state, that the intractable nature of the Silver worked did not allow the time calculated for the Gold, and a delivery of $546,000 in Half Eagles was delayed to the first part of this month. An examination of the deliveries from

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of Good Coins since we more restricted to the Coinage of Eagles and Half Eagles we will show how nearly we have complied with the Directors order for ratio of

	⅔ Eagles	⅓ Half Eagles
Pieces	207.720	697.560
Value	2.077.200	3.487.800

If you will kindly instruct me as to which the ratio is to apply — whether to Pieces or to value — it shall be my effort to accomplish in the present month the marshalling of the Good Coinage so that the aggregate will be in the proportion it would have been had the instructions been followed literally.

Very Respectfully
W. E. Steel
Coiner

May 18th 6.

J. R. Baker Esq
D. Sir

Will You be kind enough to Sign the enclosed Bond where indicated by your initials, and also have Mr Hempstead Sign in the proper place. and oblige

Yours Respectfully
W. A. Steel
Comer

Mary C. Duffield bond

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May 28th 1886.

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this department the following, to-wit:

George H. Kleinhaintz as an Annealer @ $3 p diem, vice J. J. Randall, and from the General Department,

Charles H. Feright as a Roller @ $2.50 p diem, vice Daniel O. Neil

These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully,
Your Ob't Servant
W. S. Stewart
Coiner.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

May 31st 1884.

Hon. Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir:

I have the honor to state that there was delivered in Eagles this month as per the monthly statement $30,800. which lacks $534,800. of the amount required in this denomination to level the amounts between Eagles and Half Eagles since We were restricted to coining the two denominations in Oct. last.

The failure to accomplish the adjustment between these two kind of Coin this month, was due to so little time allowed after producing the Silver dollar quota and the intervention of one holiday the 29th inst., and as the balance of the amount wanted is in process of completion, with your

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Permission I will proceed with this coinage & if not will all be declined on account of morning next.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. Loud
Coiner

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May 31st, 1886.

Dear Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir:

In accordance with your request of the 27th inst, I have the honor to report that the following repairs and renewals are necessary in this Department, which can be made during the vacation or more economically than the annual Settlement.

One Coining Press.

Coining Press No 4 needs two new Beam Pins to put it in first condition, and No 11 Coining Press a new Ball and Cup, — We would like to Ball & Cup and put in Cam in the Cutting Press 4 Screws to be dropt and not re-Cut, and also to take this place are now in course of completion for our machinists. The balance of

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Partition and of the rooms from the constant use demanded by the large Silver Coinage is not to be tolerated to check the Gold and Silver Workings of the Department, — A stronger and more separate Balance is needed — and this want will be supplied when the present one employed, is replaced by the large Balance that formerly occupied this place, and now simply used at your Suggestion by the Scale maker in the Mint, doing away with the necessity of a new one, thereby saving $1,200. to the Government.

The frame work of the Counting tables should be strengthened, and new marble tops are required, so as to give an even surface for the proper Counting of the coin for Deliveries.

The stools now in the two tables at the Northern end of the room used for Selecting Blanks, are much worn

which now does not necessary. The walls and ceiling need painting, which would greatly improve the appearance of the room.

The Rolling Room.

The Machinery used for operating the rolls without overheating to any extent, it will be necessary to take the iron rolls from the housings or cradles, thoroughly clean the clock and bolts, and afterwards place in position & ground perfectly true, giving a smooth face, that will be capable of rolling strips for any denomination of coin.

The Gear & cradles require looking after, the pinions taken out and inspected, as well as the bearings on the cradles, so as to provide for any defects that may be in them, as upon their good condition much depends in finishing the work.

The Coining Presses are in good condition, provided of which would be much advantageous to the Mint, that the Steam Engine from which they are worked should be placed to the westward of the Building to which the Coining Presses are attached, in case it should at any time, and accidental Steam should be had in view of this being carried

for the advancement of the work in the coming year, that the annealing furnaces, the Annual Strike in, be thoroughly overhauled and repaired if found necessary, supplied with the new cast iron rolling plate, which we have on hand, new Examining tables &c

Whitening Room.

The drainage from the Wash Basin at the N. E. Corner of the Coining room used for washing dishes runs overhead

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examine the floor of the room to the left of that beyond, where it could run into the drain direct through a pipe under the floor and relieve the occupants of this room of the unpleasant annoyance arising from this source during the hot weather.

That part of the floor where the rapid take rest upon rather [illegible] at the north end of the room, requires the attention of the Plumber to prevent the water [illegible] from leaking through to the room below. The steam pipes are also out of repair.

It is necessary on some occasions, due to the shape of the [illegible], to run the Cents to dry the blanks with [illegible] in the Milling room, after other parts of the work is finished which uses the Steam Engine No 3. and the expense of running No 3 Engine only for this purpose would be saved if the shafting that

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The Riddle was made to conform with that drawn by No 2 Engine, which of necessity was late to operate the Boiling machine to supply the Adjusting room with blanks, and the outlay made to save this needless expense could be made up in a short time in extra Wages and fuel; and it would cost to make the alteration about $75.00

In the

Adjusting Room

the floors appear to be in good condition — the room should be thoroughly cleaned, and the walls painted with paint —

In the Boiling Machine

that conveys the blanks to and from the annealing pans require baking often, — the rope examined and the platform of the carriage

provided with a new floor.

The asphalt pavements on the east side of the Court yard in front of several palaces, and many remaining, are required to have heavy cast iron gratings over them, and in their present condition an expenditure of about ten [illegible] of dollars would cover this expense.

The modes adopted in the construction of handling the heavy cast iron in No 1. Vault, of the floor and lined with sheet iron similar to that in No 2. & the asphalt floor in which in some places which makes it difficult to move the cars across it, & to make the improvement the iron moved each [illegible] twenty-two hundred & five cubic.

I have the plans that are necessary, so far

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as can be ascertained at present, and can be done by our own men detailed for the purpose at an expense for the material required, and if it is found that upon taking the machinery apart other things require attention, it will be reported.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servant
W. A. Leach
Coiner

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June 2nd 6

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

I have the honor to report that the adjustment of the denominations of Eagles and Half Eagles, after the Director request of the 4th inst, was completed this morning by the delivery of $534.800 in Eagles to the Cashier, making in the proportion 1/3rd Eagles and 2/3rd Half Eagles declined since the mint restricted to the coinage of these denominations in October last.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. Idell
Coiner

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June 2nd 1876

To the Honorable Judge
Of the Court of Oyer and Terminer
and Quarter Sessions
for the County of Philadelphia.

Sir:

Mr Charles A. Bushnell, an employe of this Department of the Mint, has been summoned as a Grand Juror in Your Court.

I have the honor to request that he may be excused from serving, as his services here are very valuable, and it will put me to an inconvenience should he be away.

Trusting that You may be able to grant this request. I am, Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Coiner

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June 10th, 1886.

Hon. Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In view of the urgency required for completing the Silver dollar quota this month as soon as practicable in advance of the annual settlement, I have the honor to report that twenty one (21) adjusting Scales that were out of use, after some slight repairs and properly adjusted were brought into service to assist the work - these additional Balances making a total of 103, now engaged.

In this connection I may add, that the large Balance which has been undergoing repairs to take the place of the one at the Southern end of the Coining room which has been

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uncertain by constant use demanded by the heavy Silver Coinage, is now completed and ready for painting, and when set in place will give us a strong and reliable Balance such as is needed to check the Gold and Silver workings of the department.

To Duplicate these extra adjusting Balances at the price paid $55. each, would cost $110. and to secure a large Balance such as the one repaired would require an outlay of $1200. — which expense has been saved for these needed auxillaries by having an efficient and capable Scale maker in the Mint, who has repaired these Balances to answer all purposes, saving the necessity of the expense of New ones.

Very Respectfully
W. E. Stell
Coiner

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June 12th 1880

Hon Daniel M Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In view of the urgency required for completing the Silver dollar quota for this month as soon as practicable, because of the commencement of the Annual Settlement, it became necessary to have additional balances for adjusting the Blanchets, We were very much embarrassed to know what to do in regard to them, You were loath to make expenditures for Scales and suggested that possibley in as much as we had a very efficient Scale adjuster in the Mint, who by trade was a manufacturer of Scales, possibly there might be found around the Institution some

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old material of that character which if put in repair would save considerable expense.

I now have the honor to report that there have been found 21 adjusting Scales that had been laid aside a few years since as much worn, which have been put in repair and properly adjusted, and they are now rendered fit for efficient service in the adjusting room.

These, and those now in use, 82, — make an aggregate of 103 adjusting Balances fitted to perform good work.

In this connection I desire to say, that a large balance very much out of order had been removed some eighteen months ago to the place of business of Mr Henry Boehmer,

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We has furnished Scales and Balances for the institution for many years, he reported it as dilapidated and worn out, Learning of the capacity of Our Scale Register Mr Fite, I sent for the Balance referred to, and placed it in his charge for repair, It is now fit and ready for use, and will be turned to good account to take the place of the large Scale at the South end of the Coining room, which is somewhat worn, and thus give us a chance of putting that one in good order without interfering with the current business.

Another Scale which was supposed to be unserviceable and had been put away in a glass case, was also found and put in repair by Mr Fite, This also is in use now

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I desire to say, that Mr Freeman's price for the small balances was $60 each, and for a large balance, such as it would have been necessary to procure from him, $200.— A balance such as has been referred to as being in the glass case would have cost $100. I refer to these facts to show the saving, in fitting up these articles and putting them in repair by our own people, over the employment of outside parties.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Coiner

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June 21st 6

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 2504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mrs Frances E. Lanigan as a Temporary Adjuster in this Department to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Miss Retta Hahn resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
H. D. Clerk
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June 25th 76

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the Provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment from the General Department Mr John E. Mann as a Roller @ $2.50 per diem vice Mr Charles McGarigle transferred to the General Department to take effect 1st prox.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stee[illegible]
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

June 28th, 1886.

Hon. Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with your instructions I have the honor to report that the Coining operations ceased in this department on Saturday last 26th inst. preparatory to the annual settlement and making necessary repairs &c.

Enclosed please find reports of the Coinage executed during June and the fiscal year ending June 30th 1886, the latter showing the following amounts, to-wit;

	Pieces	Value
Gold	1.059.314	$ 6.997.380
Silver	22.231.495	20.045.281.75
Minor	1706651	17377.65
Total	24.997.460	$27.060.039.40

This showing in the total amount of Coinage is exceedingly gratifying to me, To accomplish this striking result has required exacting endeavor on the part of all the persons employed in this department, and I know that it will be your pleasure to join with me in awarding the meed of praise due to these faithful employes in producing this large coinage. By your co-operation we were enabled to so advance the work as to admit of repairing the machinery in time to meet all future demands and insure a much needed holiday.

The bullion operated upon by this Department during the year was as follows.

	Gold.	Silver.	Minor.
Value	£ 20.813.581.95	£ 45.358.339.08 (63.26)	£ 18.668.6[illegible]
Tons.	38 1/3	1334 1/3	6.

Making a total of 1381 2/3 tons of metal of the aggregate value of £ 66.220.589. (903.8[illegible])

Very Respectfully,
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Slack.
Coiner.

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AT PHILADELPHIA

July 9th 1876

Miss Annie Rutter
Osceola Mills Pa
Miss Rutter

Your favor of the 8th inst at hand, and in reply would say that your request for an extended leave of absence until July 31st is granted. Trusting you may have a pleasant time I am Very Respectfully

Coiner

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AT PHILADELPHIA

July 9th 1876

Miss E. J. Milligan
Norse Rebuck
Miss Milligan

Your communication relative to an extended leave of absence was handed to me by the Superintendent. Your request to be absent during the balance of the month is granted with use of pay from the 12th inst.

Very Respectfully
H. S. Heath
Coiner

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AT PHILADELPHIA

July 10th 18[illegible]

Mrs W. Hearn
Secretary
Mrs Hearn

It is expected that all the Ladies will report here on the 16th inst. but you can remain later than that time if you desire with loss of pay from the 14th inst.

Yours &c
W. L. Elder
Coiner

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AT PHILADELPHIA

July 10th 18[illegible]

Mrs [illegible] Dobley
New Richmond
Mrs Dobley

Your letter was handed me by the Superintendent and your request to remain during the balance of the month is granted with loss of pay from the 14th inst.

Very Respectfully
W. L. Elder
Coiner

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AT PHILADELPHIA.

July 13th 1866

Miss L. B. Price
Carlton Md
Miss Price

Your request to be absent until the end of this week is granted with hope of your from the 14th inst. Trusting that you will return with improved health, I am

Very Respectfully
W. E. Beal
Coiner

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AT PHILADELPHIA.

July 13th 1866

Mrs L. C. Lupton
Montgomery Co
Penn Mrs Lupton

I have been about a week and found yours here on my return.

The way things look now we will start the Rolling room on Monday and the mill be here on the morning of 14th (Saturday) it will down all for gold, trusting that you are having a nice time in haste, Yours truly
W. E. Beal

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AT PHILADELPHIA

July 12th 1866

Hon A.H. Letcher

My Dear Sir,

I have been absent a few days and found your favor this morning on my return here.

I take pleasure in granting your request in relation to Miss Child's extended leave as desired, and hope that she may be much benefitted by the change. Trusting that you are in good health I am

Very Truly
W. A. Stuart

July 14th 1866

Mrs O.J. Tomlinson
East Windham
Mrs Tomlinson's

Your favor of the 12th inst to the Superintendent relative to an extended leave of absence was handed to me, and your request is granted with loss of pay from the 14th inst.

Very Respectfully
W. A. Stuart
Coiner

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July 14 '86

Miss E. B. Allen
Milford N.J.
Miss Allen:

Your favor of the 12th inst, to the Superintendent relative to an extended leave of absence to the 19th inst, was handed to me, and your request is granted with loss of pay after the 14th inst.

Very Respectfully
W. L. Steel
Coiner

July 14 86.

A. L. Boneall
New Berlin, Pa
Mr Boneall

In reply to your favor of the 10th inst, relative to an extended leave of absence I have to say that the Superintendent cannot grant your request later than the end of this month, with loss of pay from the 14th inst.

Very Respectfully
W. L. Steel
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

July 15th 6

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 of Revised Statutes I have the honor to Nominate and recommend the appointment of Mr H. B. Hough in the "medal Striking room" in this Department @ $2.00 per diem to take effect upon confirmation, Vice George H. Fidler transferred to Counter.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. Snowden
Coiner

July 15th 1816

Hon. Daniel D. Tompkins
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the hon
to recommend the following Gentlemen to b
ments, viz;

George St. Tiller from "Medal Striking room" @
to Counter @ $3. p Diem Vice Clark a Resigned

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. J. Steele.
Asst.

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AT PHILADELPHIA.

July 15th

Miss Clara Maverick

Miss Maverick;

I have your favor of the 14th inst to the Superintendent was handed to me, and in reply thereto I am requested to state that you will please report for duty on Saturday morning 17th inst @ 9 o'clock.

Very Respectfully
W. L. Stewart
Coiner

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AT PHILADELPHIA.

July 15th 1868

Wm T. Schofield
Asbury Park
N.J.

Schofield:

Your favor of the 13th inst relative to an extended leave of absence at hand, and the request to report here on the 20th inst is granted with loss of pay from the 14th inst.

The other matter leave until your return, trusting that you are having an agreeable time.

I am
Very Respectfully
W. L. Stewart
Coiner

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July 17th 1856

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Dear Sir,

In reply to the inquiry contained in the letter of Mr Brown of the 9th inst, relative to the existence of any "regular set of rules for the government of the Operatives in this Mint" I beg to say, that I have never known of the existence of any special rules for that purpose. They are required to be here on time and to attend to their duty during the prescribed working hours, and while at work are subject to the directions of the Coiner and such personal instruction as the Superintendent may have to give at time as the pressure upon the Mint for Coinage may require — I do not see any occasion

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for a formal set of rules for the guidance of our assayers.

So far as this trial is concerned, there never has been a time when the above has not been found thoroughly adequate and sufficient to meet any and all emergencies, and any demands which may be made upon us.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. Loud
Coiner

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AT PHILADELPHIA.

July 19 1886

Miss S. J. Gregory
Lake Valley
Miss Gregory;

Your communication relative to an extension of leave of absence until the 1st of August was handed to me by the superintendent and your request is granted with loss of pay from the 14th inst.

Very Respectfully
W. E. Clark
Coiner

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AT PHILADELPHIA.

July 15th 1886

Miss Emma Treu
Detroit
Miss Treu;

Yours at hand relative to an extension of your time until August 1st, which is granted with loss of pay from the 14th inst.

Very Respectfully
W. E. Clark
Coiner

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July 20th 86

Mr James Oliver
#3 Strawberry st
Phila

The "Duck" furnished does not answer our purpose satisfactorily as to texture, and would thank You to give us Duck in accordance with the Sample, and as a substitute for that already delivered.

Very Respectfully
W. L. Stee
Coiner.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

July 21st, 1886

To the Honorable Judge
of the Court of Oyer & Terminer
and Quarter Sessions
for the County of Philadelphia
Sir;

Mr Henry Oster an employe of this Department of the Mint has been summoned as a Petit Juror in your Court.

I have the honor to request that he may be excused from serving, as his services here are very valuable, and it will put us to an inconvenience should he be away.

Trusting that you may be able to grant this request.

I am, Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. D. Steel
Coiner.

Approved
Superintendent.

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Asa Daniels M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In response to proposals invited to furnish this Department with six(6) dozen trousers for use in the Adjusting room, I have the honor to enclose bids from the following,— to-wit:

Sellers Jean & Bro	$10.50 per dozen
E. Clinton & Co	8.00 " "
Geo H. Metz & Bro	7.50 " "
Chas Bringhurst	7.00 " "
Geo H. Brooks	6.50 " "

Very Respectfully.
H. J. Stark Coiner

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August 10th 46

Mr Edw Zaken
Lancaster Pa

Sir

The general practice is, to strike medals from planchets prepared by us from Cop. provided for the purpose, and from old coat (Eagles in this) in furnace on about 2 1/2 cent Copper 2 per $/00 each.

Very Respectfully
H. Patterson

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

August 10th 1876

Genl Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to report that the Sample bags to hold 1000 & 500 Silver Dollars respectively sent by the Director for examination, were found to be machine stitched with cotton thread, and with the weight of the Coin and the many handlings the bags would be subjected to, the stitches are liable to break. The bags made in the Mint are hand sewed with linen thread, and oversewed, so as to be able to bear the heavy pressure put upon them when piled in the vaults, and prove to be satisfactory for the purpose.

The cost of the material for the large

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bags used here including the thread would be about five (5#) cents each, the Ladies doing the Sewing during regular hours when not otherwise engaged.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

August 24th 1880.

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3604 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Alice B. King as an Adjuster in this Department @ $1,200 per Annum, to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. A. Leech
Coiner.

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August 31st 1

Mrs M. Hearer
#131 N. 10th st Phy.

Mrs Hearer,

In reply to your inquiry relative to one Mr Dean of above, the Superintendent directs me to say that your wish is granted with leave of absence.

Trusting to see you at the expiration of the time, I have

Very Respectfully

W. J. Steel

Coiner.

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COINERS DEPARTMENT

Aug 31st 1861

Mr W. C. Corby
Jacony

Mr Corby,

Your favor of this date at hand and contents. The circumstances you mention relative to reporting the work [illegible]

Respectfully

W. Dallas

Coiner

P. A. Kinder Esq
Act Assistant
Assistant
Office

Has to date not paid any [illegible]
the Quarter, [illegible]
[illegible] recommended [illegible]
of the United States [illegible]
See [illegible]

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Mr. Adam Eckfeldt
Superintendent

Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section 10 of the Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment in this Department of the following persons, to wit:

Miss Jessie M. Marshall vice Miss A. H. Potter resigned

Miss Jane Annie Norvell vice Miss Ruth Clement deceased

Each of said persons to take effect upon their appointment.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servt.
[illegible]
Coiner

Dept Ink 6

Mrs. H. Cattlewood
438 & 440 H St

Mrs. Cattlewood;

Your request relative to being absent until October 1st owing to your health, is granted, and I trust that after a needed rest you will return at the expiration of your time much benefitted in health.

Very Respectfully
W. Scott
Sec'y.

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COINERS DEPARTMENT

September 28th 6

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir!

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 2504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment from the General Department as Rollers @ 2.00 p/diem, the following to-wit-

Mr Michael Trullinger, and
" Arthur Fannon.

To take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
H. A. Stack
Coiner

September 28th 64

To the Honorable Judge
of the Court of Oyer & Terminer
and Quarter Sessions
for the County of Philadelphia.

Sir;

Mr James Kennedy an employe
of this Department of the Mint has been summoned
as a Juror in your Court.

I beg the favor to request that he
may be excused from serving, as his services
here are very valuable, and it will put us to
an inconvenience if he be away

Trusting that you may be able to grant this
request,

I am, very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. D. Steel
Coiner

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COINERS DEPARTMENT

October 2nd 60.

Hon Daniel M Fox
Superintendent

Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to-wit.

George Kehn, Roller @ $2.00 per diem.
Peter Reppetow " " "
Amos Robbins " " "
John Barr Cutter " "

and from the General Department

Charles E. Fallo Roller @ $2.25 per diem.

Very Respectfully
Wm Stahl
Coiner

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COINER'S OFFICE.

October 22nd 1870.

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment in this Department Mr Harry A Chester, as assistant to the Coiner, to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. A. Steel
Coiner

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COINERS DEPARTMENT

October 16th 1861

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

I have the honor to recommend the following changes in this Department, to-wit:

William Dorn Count. $3.00 per day, to —
Coiner & Mint Melting Room, John F. Jones transfer to Supts Dept.
and John F. Barbat from Coining room @ $2.00 per diem, to
be Coiner @ $3.00 per diem, vice Wm Dorn promoted —

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. J. Hoot
Asst

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

October 7th 1876

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the Provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to-wit:

John Roberts
John Little
Daniel C Reilly
John Flanigan
Bernard A Waters
James R Barr

Their appointments to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
A. Loudon Snowden
Coiner

Philadelphia Oct 6.

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir:

In accordance with the request of the Director, I have the honor to present herewith a brief account of the Operations of this Department during the Fiscal Year ended June 30th 1878.

The result of the Year's work has been very satisfactory. The Standard Dollar Silver Coinage is the largest ever produced at this Mint.

To meet the pressing demands for other denominations of Coin, which were in addition to the orders for Standard Dollars, required ceaseless endeavor on the part of all employed in the Department.

There was received during this period about
[illegible] lbs. of Gold, 33½ Tons of Silver, and 6. Tons
of Minor Coin metal, a total of 1381½ Tons,
of the aggregate value of $66.210.387.50

The total number of pieces struck of all
denominations was 24997460., of the value of
$27.660.039.40 — averaging a coinage of over two
millions of pieces per month.

During the year there was specially prepared
for sale to numismatists the following Proof Coins

	Pieces.	Value
Gold	1444	4.280
Silver	620	1.674.60
Minor	10554	316.71
	15651	6.270.96

Upon requisitions furnished from the Medal Department.
663 Medals were struck, of which 144 were gold —
432 Silver and 287 Copper Medals.

At the close of the fiscal year the rooms
of the Department were thoroughly cleaned and painted,
and the machinery overhauled, all necessary
repairs made and the plant of the Department put
in effective order for the increasing work of the
new fiscal year.

Very respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. A. Stahl
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

October 11th 1866

Hon. Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3514 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to-wit:

Rollers, @ $2.90 per diem.
Michael J. Campbell
George Eglestuner, and
Coulter @ $2.90 per diem.
O. H. Halle
James J. Otten
Peter McKee

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servant
H. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

October 13th 10

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

Miss Julia E. Dorff a
Coiner in this Department died after a short
illness this morning.

Miss Dorff was one of the oldest em-
ployés, having entered the Institution November
24th 1850 by appointment of Dr Robt M. Patterson
then Director during the administration of President
Fillmore, and she has always been faithful
in the discharge of responsible duties during
the 36 years of her long service.

Upon the recommendation of the late
Franklin Peale Esq, when Coiner females were
first employed in adjusting blanks, and Miss

Dorff was among the number early engaged in that capacity in this mint.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. Dallas
Coiner

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA.

October 14th 86

My dear Miss Dorff.

I sincerely sympathize with you in this your sad bereavement, the loss of your dear sister.

I desire to add my testimony to her long career of usefulness and worth in this Institution, extending over a period of thirty-six years.

My association with Miss Dorff has been of the most pleasant character, She was greatly respected by all, and her loss to us will be almost irreparable.

I gladly render this well deserved tribute to her memory

Very respectfully,

William A. Steel

Coiner.

Miss Amanda Dorff

No. 308 North 16th st

Phila'da.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINERS DEPARTMENT.

October 18th 1861

Hon Daniel M Fox
Superintendent
Dr;

I have the honor to enclose the resignation of Mr A. C. Pennell an adjuster in this Department to take effect from this date.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. D. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

October 18[illegible]

Hon Daniel M Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in the Department, viz;

Miss Lissie A. George Counter @ $2.25 p/diem, to Counter @ $2.50 Vice Miss Julia Coff deceased,

and Miss Anne Randall from Assistant @ $1.75 p/diem, to Counter @ $2.25 p/diem Vice Miss Lissie A George promoted.

These transfers to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. S. Stell
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

October 1st 1873

Hon Chas. M. Fort

Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Jessie M. Ward as an Assistant in this Department vice Miss Anne Randall promoted.

Very Respectfully

Your Obt Servant

A. Loud

Coiner

October 1914

Hon Daniel M Fox
Postmaster
Sir:

In view of the increased amount of work at the Counting Table, I have the honor to recommend the transfer of Miss Thekla Rudolph from an adjusted $1.75 p. diem, to a Counter @ $2.25 p. diem, the latter effect upon confirmation.

Very respectfully
Your Obt Servt
H. D. Steel
Asst

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

October 21st 1878

Hon Alonzo M. Clark
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3564 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Rachael Steer as an adjuster in this Department vice Miss Ella Reno, to take effect upon confirmation, Miss Reno having resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. L. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

October 21st, 1886

Mr. Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3564 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department as Cleaners, from the following, to wit:

Lester P. Johnson
Lafayette Worland
Solomon Poole, and
George Atkin

These appointments to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. Q. Steel
Coiner

October 21st 6.

Hon Daniel M. Clark
Superintendent
Sir,

I have the honor to recommend the transfer in this Department of Mr. Lewis O'Neil from Annecabo @ $3 p diem to Cobing Town @ $3 p diem vice Mr John Bodkin ... promoted to Counter.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
J. W. D. Steel

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINING DEPARTMENT.

See next page

October 21st 1880

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3564 Revised Statutes, I hereby tender to Appointments and recommend for appointment in this Department the Thomas A. Peck as an Assistant Engraver at $3. per diem, vice Louis Orr, resigned, transferred to the Coining room.

Thos A Peck

Very Respectfully
Your obt Servt
W. Dickeson
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

October 21st 1876

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent.
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Mr Chas E. Cook as an Annealer & J. Heinrichs Mr Lewis O. Neil transferred to Coining room.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Leech

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

October 23rd 1866

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir.

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3564 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Miss Fannie C. Lark as an adjunct to the police, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss Martha Rudolph appointed Counter.

Very Respectfully
Your obt Servant
A. Loud Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

October 26th 1870

Mrs Anna Fabian

Adjuster.

Mrs Fabian;

By direction of the Superintendent, you are hereby notified that you are suspended from duty until further notice.

Very Respectfully

W. A. Leet

Asst

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

October 26th 1886

Miss Maud Palmer
Adjuster
Miss Palmer:

By direction of the Superintendent, you are hereby notified that you are suspended from duty until further notice.

Very Respectfully
H. D. Steel
Coiner

October 24th 66

Hon Daniel M Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section XV 3574 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Mr Francis M. Fuldin as a Cleaner & Polisher, to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Sleet
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

Oct 29th 86

Mrs M. M. Husband
Washington D.C.
Madam;

Please find enclosed one gold dollar in accordance with your request of Yesterday.

Very Respectfully
M. Dudley

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

November 6th 1876

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 10 2504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Mr Robt J Blair as a Roller @ $2.00 p diem to take effect upon Confirmation Vice Michael J. Campbell removed.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
Wm. Sheet
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

November 11th 1876

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section # 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department from the M.T.E. dept John J. O'Connor as a Roller @ $2.00 per diem to take effect upon confirmation, vice Joseph B. McElhone dismissed.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
Wm. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
CORRESPONDENCE.

November 12th 1856

To the Honorable Judge
of the Court of Oyer & Terminer
and Quarter Sessions
for the County of Philadelphia.

Sir!

Mr Edward Lacey an employé of this Department of the Mint has been summoned as a Juror in Your Court.

I have the honor to request that he may be excused from serving, as his services here are very valuable, and it will put us to an inconvenience should he be away.

Trusting that You may be able to grant this request.

I am, very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. Ed. Steel
Coiner

Approved
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Superintendent

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

March 30th 6

Hon Daniel M. Dod
Superintendent
Sir,

I have the honor to recommend the promotion of Mr James Mullen from a Cleaner @ $3. p diem to assistant Foreman of the Rolling room @ $3.75 p diem to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. J. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

November 30th 1870

Hon. Daniel H. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3584 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Miss Elizabeth Walker as an adjuster @ $1.50 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss Mary E. Johnson resigned,

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
Wm. Idell
Coiner

Treasurer's No 6

Treasurer of the
United States
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section 2 to 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Mr Nathan A Osler as a Cleaner @ $2 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice James Hulley promoted to assistant Foreman of Rolling room.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. J. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

December 16

Hon. Reuben M. Fort
Philadelphia
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 4033 of Revised Statutes I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in the Coiners Department Mint of Philadelphia per Letter of 2nd of this month, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Peter Kinsinger transferred to Assay Department.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servant
A. Loud Heel
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA

Dec 16th 1836

Geo Wharton Esq

Dear Sir:

The Samples of Bronze Blanks sent by you for examination & report, as to suitableness for use in the Coinage, & also as to the legal tolerance for weight, have been received.

Sample #1. Three pieces, Three pennyweights.

Sample #2. Within the limit.

Sample #3. Three pieces, Three pennyweights and five " 3 " 4 "

In all other respects they answer the purpose.

Very Truly Yours

R. Patterson

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

December 20th 86

Hon Daniel N. Fox
Superintendent
Sir.

The 5 cent nickel piece of the date of 1884 referred to in Treasurer Jordan's letter of yesterday, was struck from a genuine die, and evidently was cut from a trial strip of nickel rolled accidentally to the width of a 5 cent, the blank escaping detection by the selectors, and was milled and coined and issued by mistake.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. E. Steel
Coiner

...the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
...TMENT.
...1886.

January 2nd 87

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

I have the honor to report that the following Dies were used in the Coinage of 1886, to-wit:

	GOLD.							SILVER.					MINOR.				
DIES.	DOUBLE EAGLES	EAGLES	HALF EAGLES	THREE DOLLARS	QUARTER EAGLES	DOLLARS	TOTAL.	STANDARD DOLLARS	HALF DOLLARS	QUARTER DOLLARS	DIMES	TOTAL.	FIVE CENT	THREE CENT	ONE CENT	TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
OBVERSE	2	11	14	2	2	4	35	64	2	2	39	107	101	2	48	151	293
REVERSE	2	11	14	2	2	4	35	61	2	2	39	104	101	2	48	151	290
TOTAL.	4	22	28	4	4	8	70	125	4	4	78	211	202	4	96	302	583

These numbers agree with the numbers reported by the Engraver as delivered to the Coiner, during the year 1886, and

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

1888

include the Dies used for striking Proof Coins,

All of these Dies were destroyed this day by the use of the forge and sledge, in accordance with the provisions of Section No 3550 Revised Statutes.

The following statement exhibits the number of Pieces struck per pair of dies used during the year 1886, and includes the dies employed to strike Proof Coin, as the Proof pieces appear in the aggregate number of Pieces struck.

Statement of the number and denomination of Pieces Coined, with the number of DIES used in their production, and average production to the pair of dies, during the year 1886.

DENOMINATION.	Number of pieces Coined.		Number of dies used			Number of pieces struck per pair of dies used.	
			OBVERSE.	REVERSE.	TOTAL.		
DOUBLE EAGLES.	1	106	2	2	4		553
EAGLES.	236	160	11	11	22	21	469
HALF EAGLES.	388	432	14	14	28	27	745
THREE DOLLARS.	1	142	2	2	4		571
QUARTER EAGLES.	4	088	2	2	4	2	044
DOLLARS.	6	016	4	4	8	1	504
TOTAL GOLD.	636	944	35	35	70	18	198
STANDARD DOLLARS.	19 963	886	64	61	125	319	422
HALF DOLLARS	5	886	2	2	4	2	943
QUARTER DOLLARS	5	886	2	2	4	2	943
DIMES	6 377	540	39	39	78	163	527
TOTAL SILVER.	26 353	228	107	104	211	249	793
FIVE CENTS	3 330	290	101	101	202	32	973
THREE CENTS	4	290	2	2	4	2	145
ONE CENTS	17 654	290	48	48	96	367	797
TOTAL MINOR.	20 988	870	151	151	302	138	999
RECAPITULATION. GOLD.	636	944	35	35	70	18	198
SILVER.	26 353	228	107	104	211	249	793
MINOR.	20 988	870	151	151	302	138	999
GRAND TOTAL.	47 979	042	293	290	583	164	593

Very Respectfully, A. S. Hall Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

January 6th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

I have the honor to enclose the resignation of Mrs Francis E. Lanigan an adjuster in this Department to take effect 7th inst.

Very Respectfully
Your obt Servant
W. L. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

January 6th, 1887.

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir

I have the honor to state that the Bronze cent blanks to be furnished by Mr Wharton are not supplied in sufficient quantities and rapidly enough to supply the needs for our operations and to meet the demands of the public.

We are having considerable difficulty with the Nickel 5¢ blanks supplied by Mr Wharton at the Coining Presses The blanks are cleaned in the

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usual way, and the trouble arises in coining, filling up the dies with a foreign matter causing much delay and extra labor. We have resorted to several expedients to overcome this difficulty — by re-cleaning the blanks and by dipping in hot Sulphuric acid after cleaning, but without much benefit

The Dollars Dimes & Cents are rolled and dried in the same kind of Saw-Dust, so that it may not be claimed that this is at fault.

Very Respectfully

W. S. Stuel. Coiner

January 6th 1797

Hon. Thomas Mifflin
Superintendent
Sir.

In accordance with the provisions of Section XIV of Penal Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mrs. Mary S. McCulloch as a Temporary Assistant in this Superintendent for the prison, to take effect upon information, vice Mrs. Frances E. Langan resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servt.
H. Stees
Keeper

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States
AT PHILADELPHIA

July 14' 87

Mr Joe Wharton

Dear Sir,

Please call here on receipt of this as the Superintendent would like to see you in reference to the Nickel Blanks.

Very Respectfully.

W. Attee

Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
CONFIDENTIAL

January 15th 1867

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section №3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment from the Melter & Refiners Department Mr Wm H. Gallup as a Roller & Refiner, to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Daniel C. Reilly resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. E. Steel
Coiner

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA.

August 24th 1887

Messrs. J. Cook Wall.

Sirs.

Please call &
receive as early as possible,
I offer a bid for (10)
Copper Cents.

Respectfully
Yours &c.

also
Bids asked of
J Hemmell
& Geo Mayer

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA.

January 19th 1887

Messrs. J. Cook Wall.

Sirs.

Please call
& receive as early as possible
one dozen Copper Cents
of 1804 which I offer you
for sale.

Respectfully
Yours &c.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Jany 28th 1887

Miss Annie F. Allen
No 150 J Walnut St
Miss Allen.

Your note of the 27th inst to the Superintendent, was referred to me and in reply beg to state that your request cannot be granted for the present.

Respectfully Yours,
A. L. Nail Coiner

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Jany 29th 1887.

Messrs C. B. Porter & Co.
Dear Sirs

Please call to see me as soon as possible to see samples of Coin Cans for the purpose of offering bids on same.

Respectfully Yours
A. L. Nail Coiner
B.

Sent also to
C. B. Porter & Co
E. A. Nicholls

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,
COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

February 8th, 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Elizabeth J. McElhone as an adjuster in this Department @ $1.75 per diem to take effect upon confirmation, vice Annie M. Scott resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. E. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

February 26th 1887

Hon Daniel M Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3514 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment from the General Department Mr William Hanley as Roller @ $2.00 per diem vice George H. Eigelbaman transferred to General Department and John J. Linn as Roller @ $2.00 per diem vice John Flanagan resigned.

These appointments to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
W. Idell
Coiner

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States
AT PHILADELPHIA

March 2nd 87

Henry Pratt Esq
Philadelphia Post Office

My Dear Sir:

Your favor of the 28th ult relative to the promotion of Mr F. Hand in this Department is received & I will be glad to serve you in furthering the interests of Mr Hand, and will confer with the Superintendent in regard to the matter.

Yours

Very Truly Yours
L. R. Elliott

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

March 23d 1874

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in this department, to-wit;
Wm H. Ellicks Roller @ 2d p/clerk to Annealer @ 3. p/clerk vice John Burns, and,
John Burns Annealer @ 4 p/clerk, to Roller @ 2d p/clerk, vice Wm H. Ellicks.
These transfers to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. D. Steel
Coiner

ENER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA

March 24th 185[illegible]

Edward H. Hall Esq
Asst Cashier
U.S. Asst Treasurers Office

My Dear Sir:

I will take pleasure in sending you a double eagle of this years date struck from proof or polished dies, as regular coinage of that denomination having been struck to this time.

Very truly yours

W. L. Stack

Coiner

ENER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA

March 24th 185[illegible]

Mr J H Seitz
Offr

Enclosed please find Gold dollar of this years coinage in accordance with your request.

Trusting that you will receive it all right

I am
Very Respectfully
W. L. Stack
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA

March 28th 87

Edward H. Hall Esq.

Asst Cashier,

National Park Bank.

New York.

Dear Sir;

Enclosed please find proof Double Eagle of this Date, for the reverse this morning, Lest time you want anything of this kind in the future please to inform me.

Very Truly Yours

W. E. Dubois

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

March 31st 1887.

Hon. D. M. Fox
Supt. U. S. Mint.

Dear Sir.

I have the honor to state that from the best information I have been able to gather, and I have every reason to believe is substantially correct. The adjusting balances just completed by our Scale Maker for this Mint, does not infringe upon any patent, - the Westermair scales are made adjustable at the ends of the beam, whereas those just finished are adjusted at the fulcrum or at the centre of the beam -

Very Respectfully.

W. D. Heel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

March 3rd, 1887

Hon. Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir.

I have the honor to
enclose the resignation of Miss M. Anderson,
adjuster in this Department to take effect
from this date.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servant
Fred Steel
Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

April 2nd 1894

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

I have the honor to enclose the resignation of Miss Rebecca C. Giles, a assistant in this Department & take effect from the 31st inst.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Street
Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

April 4th, 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir.

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in the Coinage Dept.

From Coin Medal room 22 Men, to
Medal room 2 Men, Jno Medal Roll room
and Samuel B. Dunbar Cutter 2 Men, to
Medal room 2 Men, Jno Frain Melt.

I have transfer to take effect upon Information.

Very Respectfully.
Your Ob. Servt.
A. L. Heel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT

April 4th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment from the General Department Mr Jeremiah Ryan Cutter @ $2 per diem, vice Rainier G. Duerrald Transferred to Medal room.

Very Respectfully

Your Obt Servant

H. L. Steel

Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

April 7th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Florence E. McLaren Temporary Assistant @ $1200 per annum to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Miss E.L. Arnold resigned.

Very Respectfully &
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Steel
Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

April 11th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3564 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to Nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Annie Kittler as an Adjuster in this Department @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon Confirmation, vice Miss Rebecca E. Biles, resigned.

Very Respectfully,
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Leech
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

April 12th 1867

Hon Alfred M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

I have the honor to report, that in accordance with Your request the following named firms were asked to furnish bids for supplying this Department with Four (4) dozen brushes for use in the Adjusting rooms, as per Sample shown,

Geo A. Metz & Bro
E. Clinton & Co
S. H. Bookins
and the Baltimore Brush Co,

Bellerjeau & Bro
Chas Dreitzinghoffer
Chas Thum

Sufficient time having elapsed to have heard from all of them, I enclose the bids received.

Very Respectfully
W. L. Stack
Coiner

Clinton & Co 6/6 5.75
Bookins 1 7.50
Metz 6.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

April 19th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Davey Woods Temporary Adjuster @ $75 per Diem, to take effect upon confirmation vice Miss M. V. Megargee resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
A. L. Steel
Coiner

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT

April 21st 1

Hon Daniel M. Fox.
Superintendent
Dear Sir

I have the honor to enclose the resignation of Miss Emma A Milligan an adjuster in this Department, to take effect this date.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. A. Steel
Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINAGE DEPARTMENT

April 20th 1877

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

I have the honor to present the following Statement of the Coinage of Standard Dollars, Dimes, Five Cents and One Cent Pieces executed at this Mint during the first quarters of the years 1876 and 1877.

	Dollars.		Dimes.		Five Cents.		One Cent.	
	No. of Pieces	Value	No. of Pieces	Value	No. of Pieces	Value	No. of Pieces	Value
	1,700,000	$ 1,700,000	600,000	$ 60,000				
	000	1700,00						
	1700,360	1700360	360	360	1374	$ 6870	1374	$ 1374
Total	5100360	$ 5100360	600360	$ 60360	1374	$ 6870	1374	$ 1374

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1887.

	Dollars.		Dimes.		Five Cents.		One Cent.	
	No of pieces	Value	No of pieces	Value	No of pieces	Value	No of pieces	Value
January	2,020,000	2,020,000	1,600,000	160,000	2,143,350	118,992.50	5,792,000	57,920.00
February	950,000	950,000	250,000	25,000	1,129,600	56,480.00	3,527,000	35,270.00
March	2,430,000	2,430,000	80,000	8,000	1,352,600	67,613.00	3,697,930	36,979.30
	5,400,000	5,400,000	1,930,000	193,000	4,625,550	243,085.50	13,016,930	130,169.30

The exhibit in the product of the Coinage for the 1st quarter of this year as compared with the net product of the 1st quarter of last year, shows a very creditable increase of 8,934,502 pieces, and an additional value of $12,701.27.

Very Respectfully

A. L. Huey

Coiner

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Hon. Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

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an urgent demand for Dimes, I will stimulate the production of this coinage, and whenever a sufficient amount of Dollar ingots rolled for cutting is accumulated to keep the Coining room fully supplied with work, the rolls will then be kept occupied on Dime ingots.

There has been delivered in five Cent pieces to date $87,525; as the metal needs no rolling, the blanks being furnished, we have every facility for the different processes of Melting, Cleaning, and Coining, and can be handled without interfering with the production of the other Coinage.

One Cent pieces to the amount

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of $19.765- have also been delivered, making
a total Coinage of $1.173.000 pieces of the
total value of $1031.290.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant
A. Loud
Coiner

Trade Dollars struck at the Mint at Philadelphia

Recapitulation.

	Trade Dollars	Proof Trade Dollars	Total
1873	396.900	600	397.500
1874	987.100	700	987.800
1875	218.200	700	218.900
1876	455.000	1.150	456.150
1877	3.039.200	510	3.039.710
1878		900	900
1879		1.541	1.541
1880		1.987	1.987
1881		960	960
1882		1.097	1.097
1883		979	979
	$5.096.400	$11.124	$5.107.524

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April 6th 1887

Declined the appointment.

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir.

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3604 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Lizzie Harvie as an Adjuster in this Department @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Miss M. Richardson resigned.

Very Respectfully
W. A. Leech
Chief

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April 28th 1884

Edwin M. Fry

Superintendent

Sir.

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in this department, to-wit,

George H. Palmer, Roller @ 2d. p. diem, to

Cleaner @ 3d. p. diem, vice Edmund Lacey.

and Edmund Lacey, Cleaner @ 3d. p. diem, to

Roller @ 2d. p. diem, vice Geo. H. Palmer.

These transfers to take effect upon Confirmation

Very Respectfully

Your Obt. Servant

W. E. Steel

Coiner

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April 2nd 1869

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

I have the honor to
enclose the recognitions of Miss Emma C. Bryant
and Miss Louisa M. Knox Adjusters in this
Department, the first to take effect this date,
and the latter May 6th 1869.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob Servant
W. L. Steel
Coiner

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April 28th 1884

Hon David M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Stella Knox as an adjuster in this department @ $1.75 p diem, to take effect after May 6th 1884 vice Miss Louise M. Knox resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. A. Huidekoper
Coiner.

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May 3rd 1887.

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section 20 2504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Albert G. Rowland, Cleaner @ 3.00 p/diem to take effect after 6th inst, vice Lafayette Rowland, resigned.

Very Respectfully,
Your Obt Servant
W. D. Steel
Coiner

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May 4th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment from the Melter & Refiners Department Mr Edward Laurie as a Cutter @ 2.00 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation, vice John McKee transferred to Melters & Refiners department.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
A. Loud
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

May 4th, 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment the following Adjusters @ 1.75 p. diem, — to-wit;

Miss Mary Cullen vice Miss Emma D. Milligan resigned

and Miss Bridget Brophy " " Emma C. Bryant "

I ask appointments to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obt Servant.

W. A. Idell

Coiner

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May 9th 1884

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Harriet A. Stockman as an Adjuster in this Department @ $1.75 p diem, to take effect upon information, vice Miss M. Richardson resigned, Miss Lizzie Marrice having declined.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. J. Heel
Coiner

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May 11th 1867

Hon. Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment from the General Department Mr Anthony J. Dever, Coining room Assistant, to take effect upon confirmation, vice D. L. Leinhardt transferred to General Department.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. J. Dever
Coiner

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May 13th 1889

To the Honorable Judge
Of the United States Court
for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

Sir;

Mr Albert G. Rowland
an employe of this Department of the Mint has
been summoned as a Petit Juror in your Court.

I have the honor to request that he may be
excused from serving, as his services here are very
valuable, and it will put him to an inconve=
nience should he be away.

Trusting that you may be able to grant
this request.

I am, very Respectfully,
Your Obt Servant.
A. L. Reed
Coiner

Approved.
Superintendent.

Estimate of Supplies required for the use of the Coroners Department for the Fiscal Year ending June 30th 1888.

Duck for bags	368 pieces	Shears Iron	15
Drawlin " "	156 " 50 " "	Sponge Buckets	3 doz
Ticking	60 " 32 " "	Furnace "	90 " per
Thread Raleigh's White	60 Cards	Feathers for double spring	10 lbs
Wood blocks	3 dozen	Spring Oil	20 Gals
Sponge Cloth	7 Rolls	Soft Yarn "	8 lbs
Twine Hemp Wax	276 Pounds	Tarred " Hides White	2 lbs
Cotton Cord	200 yds	Cylinder "	15 Gals
Gingham	12 pieces	Candles	3 doz
Gray Linen	4 "	Deliriene Soap	500 lbs
Needles	2000	Coral "	4000 lbs
Black Silk Cloth	50 yds	Soap Double Refined	5000 lbs
White Bags	2000 Ols	Scrub Brushes	1½ doz
Blankets	4 pairs	Whisk "	1½ "
Burlap Wide	20 Rolls	Mosaics "	10 "
Jeans Buckskin Heavy	12 doz	Oak Wood Oregon Seasoned	200 Cords
" " Light	330 "	Bass Mats	12000 feet
Sabies " Gloves	114 "	Files Slide No 6	48 doz
Napkins	35	Annealing Pans (Wrought Iron)	6

Supplies

Matches	1 Gross
Water Buckets Galvanized	½ doz
Alcohol 95%	125 Gals
Trimmings	40 "
Corn Brooms	4 doz
Cotton Waste	320 lbs
Emery Paper #0 00	84 Sheets
Emery Cloth #1	132 Sheets
Tin Cans (Quarts)	½ doz
" " (Pints)	½ "
" (Pints)	½ "
Brass (1 as per sample)	
Cast Iron Plates Right & Left	
for Annealing Furnaces - 6¾ long	24
× 13¾ in wide	
(1 as per sample)	
Cast Iron Grate Bars for	
Annealing Furnaces 14 in long	24
(1 as per sample)	
Cast Iron Annealing Plates	
for Whitening Room 42 in long	
17 in wide	6

Continued

Leather Belting 6 in	200 feet
" " 3 in	50 "
Tin Cups	2½ doz
Small Round Leather belting	10 ft
Sieves, Coining & Whitening Rooms	½ doz
High Cane Seat Chairs Coining Room	11
Small " " " " "	2 doz
Cartenders (Copper)	½ doz
(1 as per sample)	
Cast Iron Bearing Bars	
for Whitening Room 38 in long	
× 4¼ in square	24
Cast Iron Grate Bars 16¾ in long	36
(1 as per sample)	

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Clerk

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May 18th, 1887.

Hon. D. M. Fox.
Superintendent
Sir:

In reply to the enquiry of the Director in his letter of the 16th inst. relative to alleged variations in size of Nickel five cent pieces and desiring to be informed of the diameter of the pieces struck last year. I have the honor to state that in regard to the Nickel five cent pieces in question. they may vary slightly in size owing to the wear of the Collar caused by friction with the hard metal. as was noticed in some instances during the recent re-coinage of one and five cent Nickel, but careful observation at the Coining Presses is required to detect any appreciable increase in size of the Collars and as soon as a Collar becomes a

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little worn or rough it is replaced by a new one. The Standard diameter used for the five cent nickel pieces is $\frac{835}{1000}$ of an inch. And I would state the Act of Congress only provides for weight and fineness of the coin.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant
W. S. Stee[illegible]
Coiner.

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little worn enough it is replaced by a new one. The diameter of the 5¢ nickel pieces cannot be expressed in twentieths of an inch without giving fractions. As it was made after the French measure, which does not correspond to ours. The diameter of this coin is 21 19/20 millimètres or 835/1000 of an inch, and I must state the Act of Congress only provides for weight and fineness of the coin.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant.
W. E. Steel
Coiner.

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COINERS DEPARTMENT

May 28th 1837

Hon Mahlon Dickerson
Secretary of the Navy
Sir.

I have the honor to state, that in accordance with the request of Peter Wager Esq. his letter and Memorandum relative to Machinery enclosed to you on, addressed to me at this city, was forwarded to you by the Mail.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
R. Maskell
Coiner.

May 21st 87

Messrs Orr & Sheo
1576 Spring Garden st

Gentlemen;

I enclose herewith a letter and memorandum which there contents will explain relative to machinery that Mr Enderis H. Vaggen requested to be forwarded to you.

Very Respectfully Yr
H. A. Stebbins

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia,

June 2, 1887.

Sir.

The Report of Coins, Coinage and Bullion in the Mint is complete in the United States Coin. The dollar of 1802, of the second Coinage, is worth about $1,500. For information in regard to the date and date of the Coin, I would refer you to Dr. Edward Maris Mint at Philadelphia. Dr. Maris is the author of Coins, Medals &c.

Very Respectfully

H. Linderman

Director

Wm. H. McElroy
Washington D.C.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

June 14th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir,

In reference to a communication from the Beale (a former employé) to the Director, and forwarded to you for a report of the facts, I have the honor to state, that, Mr Beale was a Janitor in this department, and part of his duty was to act as messenger for the office and perform such other work as was required of him.

In March 1883, a vacancy existed in the asst Coinership, and he made application for the place.

When a recommendation of the Coiner was presented to the then Superintendent (Col Snowden) he did not approve it, and would not receive it, and it was withdrawn. Mr B. did not serve as asst Coiner,

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and has known only as a Coiner until he was removed March 21st 1888.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Coiner

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June 25th 1887.

Hon D. M. Fox.
Superintendent.
Sir.

I have the honor to report that the following repairs and renewals are necessary in this department, and can be made during the cessation of work incident to the Annual Settlement.

In the Coiners Office some of the tiles on the floor are broken and should be replaced with new ones.

No 2 Vault. The floor is worn in ruts and it is with difficulty that the heavy cars of silver can be drawn across it with safety, and I would

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Recommend that the floor be lined with sheet iron, similar to that in No 3 Vault.

Coining Room.

No 3. Coining Press. requires all the joints connected with the carriage motion refitted.

No 6. Ress. a ball joint, present one cracked.

No 10. Fly Wheel balanced.

No 4. Milling Machine. a steel band. The baskets in the Dollar Weighing Machines are much worn and should be repaired at once to maintain the accuracy of the Machines.

The wooden tops of the Selecting Tables at the North end of the room are worn

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in rings, and require new ones.

Rolling Room.

The Draw Benches need four (4) new chain Leg Wheels, and the chains thoroughly repaired, also four (4) new screws for holding the Die Rose in place and all bearings examined.

The Annealing Furnaces require a thorough over hauling - new tiles &c.

It will be attended to by the Bricklayer.

Three (3) of the Cutting Presses are in good condition the other three require examination &c

The Rolls will receive attention, and repaired when required by the workmen in the mint.

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The walls of the room will be scraped and then whitewashed.

Wash Room. The water, Steam pipes and Valves require repairing. also the tops of the Copper wash basins.

Melting Room. The Furnaces will be torn out and rebuilt. The lead lining under the Acid tubs should be renewed, as the Acid now leaks through to the room below.

I would respectfully call your attention to the bad ventilation in this room. Some means I think could be adopted so as to relieve the room from the smoke and heat from the furnaces. especially in sum-

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weather. thereby adding to the health and comfort of the screen. and would suggest a ventilator be run through the ceiling to the roof.

I would suggest that a re-varnishing with paint be done in Coiners Office, Coining Room, and Halls—

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant,

H. D. Stott

Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

July 2nd 1887

Hon Daniel M Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section #3514 Revised Statutes I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Laura Elliott as an Adjuster in this Department @ $1.25 per diem, to take effect upon Confirmation

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. S. Stell
Coiner

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Dec 8th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Isabella Clark as an Assayer in this department @ $75 per Mon, to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Ob't Servant
W. L. Stewart
Coiner

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July 21st, 1887.

Hon. Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

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In response to the inquiry of the Director in his letter of the 20th inst. desiring information relative to the item on the Coiner's monthly report dross, gain from rolls, I have the honor to state, that the silver ingots during their treatment for coinage are first rolled into strips, or fillets of proper thickness, and with a view to preserve these in each stage of reduction of suitable ductility from the break down and finishing rolls. Preparatory to their being drawn and cut into blanks, — these strips are successively heated to low redness in an annealing oven, and under exposure to these heats

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the surface becomes oxidized, and to this accretion of foreign matter, or Oxygen gas which may have combined with the Copper, is due the apparent gain from rolls.

There is nothing unusual in this gain from rolls, which is shown in the following Statement for six years past.

Fiscal Year	Amt operated upon	Apparent Loss.	Loss gain from Rolls.	actual Loss.
1882	19.562.112.90	7.272.20	5101.60	2170.60
1883	22.129.567.50	8844.70	5245.70	3599.00
1884	25.044.074.00	9490.40	5.099.70	4390.70
1885	27.551.884.90	9353.80	5006.00	4347.80
1886	38.410.491.60	13021.40	7649.60	5371.90
1887	41.611.039.60	15489.60	9936.00	5553.60

Very Respectfully
A. S. Hall
Supt.

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July 21st 1887

Maj Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir:

In response to the inquiry of the Director in his letter of the 20th inst, desiring information relative to the item on the Coiner's monthly report Dress, "Gain from rolls", I have the honor to State, that the Silver Ingots during their treatment for Coinage are first rolled into Strips, of proper thickness, and with a view to preserve these in each Stage of reduction of suitable ductility from the break down and finishing rolls, preparatory to their being drawn and cut into blanks, - these Strips are successively heated to low redness in an open annealing furnace, and under exposure to

this heat, the surface becomes oxidized, and to the accretion of foreign matter, or Oxygen gas which may have combined with the copper, is due the apparent gain from rolls.

There is nothing unusual in this gain from rolls; it always existed by this mode of annealing, — the blank reports furnished by the Department already provides for the item.

The following statement shows the gain from rolls from 1882–1887

Fiscal Year	Anticipated upon	apparent loss	gain from rolls	actual loss
1882	19.562.112.90	72.720	5.10.160	21.706.0
1883	22.129.567.50	8844.70	5.245.70	3.599.00
1884	25.044.044.00	9490.40	5.099.70	4.390.70

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1885	2,458,884.90	9,250.80	600.00	43,44.80
1886	38,410,491.50	130,21.50	7,449.50	5,341.90
1887	41,611,027.60	15,489.60	5,793.00	5,556.60

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servant
A. A. Stell
Coiner

July 23rd 87

Miss M E. Cresswell
Tyrone Pa

Miss Cresswell;

Enclosed please find Ten (10) Dollars for which you signed receipt for and send me for the Cashier —

He will open up the 27th inst to

Very Respectfully
W. A. Steel
Cashier

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Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

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In accordance with the provisions of Section 16 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Margaret Morrow Hoyt as an adjuster in this department @ $1.25 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Stewart
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

May 23rd, 1887.

Hon. Daniel N. Fox

Superintendent

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No. 3507 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment in this Department the following adjusters @ $1.25 p. diem, to-wit—

Miss Margaret Harriet Boyt, and

Miss Martha A. Burkhimer.

The appointments to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully

Your Ob't Servant

H. A. Stech

Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

July 25th, 1864

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this department the following-to-wit:
Michael Bradley as an Annealer @ $3. p diem.
From the General department
Gottlieb Binder as Roller @ $2.90 p diem.
and from the Melter & Refiner's department
Ferdinand Lenton as Roller @ $2.90 p diem.

These appointments to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. A. Stiet
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

August 13th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir.

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3514 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Phenea Elizabeth Beale as an Adjuster in this department @ $1.75 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully,
Your Obt Servant
A. E. Steel,
Coiner.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

August 29th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir!

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in this Department, to-wit;

Albert G. Rowland cleaner @ 3 p/diem, to Cutter @ 2 p/diem.
George H. Palmer cleaner @ 3 p/diem to Cutter @ 2 p/diem.
Charles F. Falls Roller @ 2 p/diem, to Annealer @ 3 p/diem.
These Transfers to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your obt Servant
H. L. Steel
Coiner

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August 29th. 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504. Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to wit:

Neil Dougherty, Annealer @ $3. p diem.
John J. O'Keefe, Roller @ $2.50 p diem
Francis P. Rodden " " " "
Frank P. Michelbach Cutter @ $2.50 p diem.
Thomas Grace " " " "

And from the General Department,

Julius Goodman Roller @ $2.50 p diem,
Henry Hollenbush Cutter @ $2.50 p diem.
John Crawford " " " "

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John Schools, Cleaner & Finisher Geo. Miller Jr. Cutter transferred to Cutter
William H. Cook " " " " George A. Palmer " " "
and also the following transfers in the Melter & Refiners Department
William F. McNulty Roller & Adjuster, Mint Chief 7 dollars transferred to Annealer
and George H. McNulty Cutter at 2 dollars
These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt. Servant
W. S. Stell
Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

Feb'y 1st 1887

Jas. P. McCoy Esq.
Superintendent.

Sir:

In accordance with your request, I have the honor to report that the following named persons have entered upon their duties as laborers.

Peter Cardeau	Feb'y 5th	
Jno. Sullivan	"	1
John Connerford	"	1
J. J. Courtland	"	2
John Schaefle	"	2
Chas. E. Lewis	"	1
[illegible]		
[illegible]	"	1

C. H. Palmer Sept. 1
W. H. Good " 1

Respectfully

Very Respectfully Your Obt
H. L. Pleasonton
Lt

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

Sept. 17th 188[illegible]

Jno. D. Du. Bois,

Superintendent

Dear Sir,

In reply to your information and data relative to the production of Coinage of this Mint, of Jersey coin, I herewith enclose a tabular Statement giving the number of pieces coined from 1793 to 1882 inclusive.

This Statement was compiled and I am indebted to Jno. Du Bois, Esq. Assistant Assayer, and it is believed to be accurate, as to the number of pieces, and you will please return it to this Mint after

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obtaining the data required.

A Statement from
1860 to 1886, also by calendar years
in values is also enclosed.

I remain—

Very Respectfully Yours,

R. E. Preston

Coiner.

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September 15th 1887

Hon. A. M. Fry,
Superintendent
&c. &c.

Herewith enclosed please find a tabular statement of pieces coined at this Mint from 1793 to 1887 inclusive, which was found in searching for data relative to Coinage of former years.

This statement was compiled as I am informed by Mr. Du Bois, then asst. Assayer and it is believed to be accurate as to the number of pieces. The statement from 1860 to 1886 also by Calendar Years in values is also enclosed.

Very Respectfully

W. H. Aiel

Coiner.

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

September 19th 1887

Hon. Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In compliance with the Director's request, a brief review of the operations of the department is herewith presented for the fiscal year ending June 30th 1887.

The amount of Gold, Silver and Minor Coin-Metal received during the year was as follows, to-wit:

Gold 13.574.917 025. Silver 42.924.485 874 025.

Minor Coin metal 0.588.894 20 025. — a total weight of 1663 3/4 tons.

The total Coinage amounted to $33.247.600.80, of which $33.279.00 was Gold, $22.300.641.15 Silver and $913.680.15 Minor Coin.

The number of pieces struck were as follows —

Gold 8.420. Silver 31.354.162 Minor 60.166.509, a total number

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of pieces of $1.532.391, — an average production of about 6.794.300 pieces p. month.

The output of silver and minor coin was in excess of the previous year by 9.125.664 pieces in silver of the value of $ 1.685.389.40 and 48.459.858 pieces of the value of 926.243.00 in minor coin, — the total value of the coinage being less than last year because of the falling off in the Gold coinage.

During the year 6467 medals were struck and delivered to the Medal Department of the following description, viz: Gold 56. Silver 436. Copper-bronze 157 — total 649 medals.

Additional facilities for the work have been provided in the adjoining room by filling the space formerly occupied by the Cadia coining closets with two boilers accommodating 42 extra Cadias, — the additional

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Story Saith provides a room for the Wardrobe and other conveniences which was greatly needed for the comfort of the Lady employés, this Improvement having been Suggested by the careful forethought of the Superintendent.

At the end of the fiscal Year, the Machinery was overhauled, repairs made to the furnaces & and thorough and careful review made of the needs of the Department.

Our rolling room Machinery was in many respects modernized, better results and great saving both in time and labor could be effected.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Stell
Coiner

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Sept 23rd 1857

Miss E. C. Abel

At the interview held here some time ago you stated your intention of resigning and only awaited the return of the Supt. before doing so. We have been here for the past three weeks and not hearing from you supposed you intending the note for you to call and see me, or to hear from you upon your return each

Dr Bauer's note was duly received and a reply on receipt of this will oblige

Very Respectfully Yours
W. L. Sleet. Coiner.
B.

N.B. As a considerable time has elapsed since instructions of the Supt. are to strike your name from the roll but not to do so before notifying you

September 24th 7

Jacob M. Dye
Superintendent

Sir:

I have the honor to recommend the following transfers in this Department, Viz;

William Miller Caulker @ 3.00 per diem to Roller @ 2.50 per diem
Millard Fillmore Roller @ 2.50 per diem to Caulker @ 3 per diem.
Charles J. Hall Caulker @ 2.50 per diem to " @ 3. per diem
Arthur J. Parsons Roller @ 2.50 per diem to " @ 3. per diem
Robert L. Morris Cutter @ 2.50 per diem to " @ 3. per diem

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These transfers to take effect upon confirmation

Very Respectfully
W. L. Steel
Naval Officer

September 24th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department the following, to wit;

Robert Lynch, Cutter @ $2.00 per diem
Frost Lenagel " @ $2.00 "
Daniel B. Kruger " @ $2.00 " Declined.
John Schenck " @ $2.00 "
Henry H Cortyer " @ $2.00 "
Frank Corr Hunter @ $2.75 "

and from the Watson Nations to department
Chas. McNamee Cook @ $2.00 per diem vice Chas Fallo transferred to crew
Chas. E Light Oiler @ $2.00 per diem vice A Farmer " to "

Send also the following from the General Department

John Dougherty Collector @ 2d folio vice R.S. Monks transferred to another

James Clark Cashier @ 2d folio

and John Sheldon " @ 2d "

These appointments to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
A. J. Steel
Secretary

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September 26th 1887.

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir!

I have the honor to present herewith a review of the Operations of the Department during the Fiscal Year ending June 30th 1887.

The amount of Gold, Silver and minor-Coin Metal received during the Year was as follows, to-wit; Gold 13.574.$\frac{2}{17}$ ozs. Silver 42.924.$\frac{8}{185}$ ozs. and minor-Coin-Metal 5.588.997.$\frac{30}{100}$ ozs. — a total Weight of 1.663.3/4 tons.

The Total Coinage amounted to $23.277.600.$\frac{80}{100}$ of which $33.279.$\frac{00}{100}$ was Gold, $22.300.671.$\frac{15}{100}$ Silver and $943.650.$\frac{65}{100}$ minor Coins.

The number of pieces struck was as follows — Gold 8.720. Silver 31.357.162 and minor 50.166.509,

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a total number of pieces of 81.532.391,,— an average production of about 6.794.366 pieces /month.

The Output of Silver and minor Coins was in excess of the previous year by 9.165.667 pieces in Silver of the value of $1.655.389.40, and 48.459.858 pieces of the value of $926.273.50 in minor Coin,— the total value of the Coinage being less than last year because of the falling off in the Gold Coinage.

During the year 649 medals were struck and delivered to the medal department of the following description, viz: Gold 66. Silver 486. and Copper-bronze 157,— total 649 medals.

In producing the large number of pieces, as shown by the Statement already made, the Department has been fully employed. The machinery in the rolling room was engaged after the regular time

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to supply the Congressional silver quota desired, while in the coining room the urgent demand for minor coins in addition to the Standard dollar and Dime coinage, required the constant Operation of all the presses during the usual hours, — the Gold weighing machines stationed in this room contributing valuable assistance in facilitating the work.

A very substantial and important improvement has been made by adding another story to the Adjusting department, which provides a room for the accommodation of the Ladies as a lunch and robing room.

Soon after your attention was directed to the many inconveniences existing in the adjusting room, with a desire to improve the ventilation and better the condition of the employees, You arranged

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a plan, which has been successfully executed, whereby the overcrowded condition of the room was banished, and the facilities for the work increased.

The space formerly occupied by the Standards has been utilized by placing two extra tables with the additional Scales, thereby increasing the number to 142. The adjoining room proper is now free from all former obstructions, and is a bright and cheerful place suited for the delicate manipulation of the adjusting balances, as well as to the lady employees engaged therein.

The new room was formally occupied February 1st last, is 40x63 feet, well lighted and ventilated by 13 Windows, and is approached from the lower floor by a broad Stairway 5 ft in width, This addition supplies the necessary

Space for the Ladies cloaks &c, with Wardrobes
and corresponding number of pantry closets are placed
on the north side, Iron stationary marble stand
Stands are ranged along the west side of the room
With a mirror over all, a large Cooking range
indicates accomodations for preparing a hot lunch,
Sufficient large dining tables are provided for the con-
venience of the ladies, which formerly owing to
the limited condition of the accommodations, some of
the ladies of necessity resorted to temporary tables
made of boards,

At the close of the fiscal Year, necessary
repairs were made to the Machinery, the Annealing
furnaces overhauled and re-built, and thorough
and careful review made of the needs of the de-
partment — Great improvement could doubtless be made

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in the operations in the Rolling room, by substitu-
-ting rolls of improved modern Style, whereby better
results and greater Saving both in time and Labor
could be expected, and it is to be hoped that this
improvement may be accomplished during the
current year.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
M. Sattel
Coiner

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A plan, which has been successfully executed, whereby the overcrowded condition of the room was ~~banished~~ diminished, and the facilities for the work increased.

The space, formerly occupied by the Wardrobe in the adjoining room has been utilized by placing two extra tables with 42 additional scales, thereby increasing the latter number to 142. The adjoining room proper is now free from all former obstructions, and is a bright and cheerful place, suited for the delicate manipulation of the ~~adjusting balances~~ blanks.

The new room was formally occupied February 1st last; is 40 X 53 feet, well lighted and ventilated by 13 Windows and is approached from the lower floor by a broad and convenient Stairway 5 ft in width. This addition supplies the necessary place for the ladies cloak ro—

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1428 Wardrobes with pantry closets in addition are placed on the north portion, seven stationary marble wash stands with a large mirror over the latter are ranged on the west side of the room, with a large cooking range insures accommodations for preparing a hot lunch, sixteen large dining tables are supplied for the convenience of the ladies, while formerly owing to the limited condition of the accommodations many of them ladies of necessity had to resorted to such temporary places, such as boards, window sills &c. for space to arrange their dishes at time of luncheon.

At the close of the fiscal year, necessary repairs were made to the machinery, the annealing furnaces overhauled and re-built and thorough and careful review made of

the Needs of the Department.

Great improvement Could doubtless be made in the operations in the Rolling room, by substituting rolls of improved modern invention instead of the antiquated Machinery now in use, Whereby better results might be accomplished.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
M. A. Streb
Coiner

October 4th 7

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3604 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Mr George H. Smith as a Coiner @ $2.00 per diem in this Department to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully

Your Obt Servant

W. S. Stee[illegible]

Coiner

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COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

Aug 31 1880

Dear Sir

Superintendent

In answer to the Director's letter asking verification of statements made, and especially with regard to the proof Statement coin complete &c. I desire to say the "coinage and medal coins" as mentioned from J. Ross Snowden existed in 1860 in the exact form which the tabular statement was extracted.

From the reputation of Director J. Ross Snowden and his opportunity for examining the books of the Mint this table had always been believed by the authorities of the Mint to be correct, or as correct as that Gentleman in his Judgement was able to make it.

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I gave the [illegible] that from one of the
[illegible] above named coins will account for the de-
[illegible] cleared on its [illegible] in the past.
"We have had cause to [illegible] which
[illegible] from the [illegible] to
the [illegible] which has taken place
from the [illegible] to the present time.
[illegible] the [illegible] of the Director
of the Mint is invited upon the [illegible] for the
year [illegible] to that extent we have depar-
ted from the [illegible] but we have done so in
what we are forced to consider the very best
authority, having [illegible] more reliance than is
necessary on the [illegible] generally accepted
[illegible] by the Mint, as they are doubtful authority
and only to be accepted where it is impossible

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Respectfully Your obt Servt
W. S. Stack
Coiner

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October 7th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Eleanor A. Farley as an Adjuster @ $1.75 per diem, in this Department to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
H. P. Steel
Coiner

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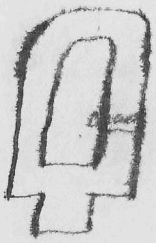
Oct 12" 1887

Hon. Paul N. Fox
Superintendent.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that a crack of about 1 inch in length has been discovered in the arch of Coining Press no 8. as herein shown in the diagram.



And it may increase in size at any time, so as to render the press unfit for use, and in view of the heavy pressure for Coin, the loss of the use of this press, would seriously interfere in meeting the demands put upon us.

As some little time must elaps

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to procure a casting &c. I would therefore respectfully recommend that measures be taken at once to obtain a new arch.

Very Respectfully
Your Obdt. Servt
A. L. Elder
Coiner

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Oct 15th 1887

Withdrawn.

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent

Sir,

I have the honor to state that in accordance with your instructions I detailed ten (10) ladies from the Coining room during a temporary suspension of work incident to the overhauling of the machinery to assist in the adjusting room and when Miss. B. J. Gamblos was notified to report to the foreman of the Adjusting room she refused to go. giving as a reason her unfriendly relations with the forelady.

In view of this case of insubordination, and for the purpose of preventing its occurance in the future, I respectfully request that Miss. B. J. Gamblos be suspended

Very Respectfully
Your Obdt. Servt
W. E. Lee
Coiner

October 24th 7

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend for appointment the following Agents @ $1.25 per diem, — to-wit;

Miss Emma S. Focht, Tice Hannah R. Tunnell resigned,
and Miss Mary T. Byrne

These appointments to take effect upon Confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. L. Steel
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Oct 24th 7

Hon Daniel M. Fox

Superintendent

Sir

I have the honor to transmit herewith Statements of the coinage by calender years from 1793 to 1823 and 1857 to 1886 both inclusive, which are the only periods of the coinage of this mint since its institution, that we have been able to obtain from the records.

The period from 1793 to 1823 are compiled from a Statement copied by hand in a Director's Letter book found in another department of this mint, and the period from 1857 to 1886 has been compared with the compiled records in this office.

Some difficulty has been experienced in collating the data in relation to the period from 1824 to 1856, because of the absence of the books containing

the information required. These books it is likely will be found at the Post Office building, where the old records taken from other parts of this institution are now being classified.

In some cases the books in our possession omit the denomination of the coin thus necessitating further search for other data to correct if possible these omissions, and we are now endeavoring to complete the full statement as fast as the circumstances will allow.

Very Respectfully

Your Obdt Servt

W. E. Steel

Coiner

Statement of Gold Coinage in Cullender Years - 1795 to 1823 inclusive. Gold Coinage commenced 31st July 1795.

Periods	Eagles	Half Eagles	Quarter Eagles
From 31st July 1795 to 29th Sept 1796	27.950	43.525	
" 29th Sept 1796 to Oct 1797	66.800	16.995	165.00
	91.770	32.030	4.390.00
1798	79.740	124.335	1.635.00
1799	174.830	37.355	1.200.00
1800	354.650	58.110	
1801	292.540	130.030	
1802	158.900	266.880	6.530.00
1803	89.790	104.530	1.057.50
1804	47.950	162.370	8.317.50
1805		165.915	4.452.50
1806		320.465	4.040.00
1807		320.465	17.030.00
1808		277.890	6.775.00
1809		169.375	
1810		501.485	
1811		494.905	
1812		290.435	
1813		477.140	
1814		97.270	
1815		3.175	

Statement of Gold Coinage in Calendar Years 1795 to 1823 inclusive, Continued.

Periods	Eagles	Half Eagles	Quarter Eagles
1816			
1817			
1818		$ 242.940	
1819		258.615	
1820		1.319.030	
1821		173.205	$ 16.120.00
1822		88.980	
1823		72.425	

Statement of Silver-Coinage in Calender Years
1794. to 1823. inclusive. Silver-coinage commenced
15th October 1794.

Years	Dollars	Half dollars	Quarter-dollars	Dimes	Half dimes
1794					
1795	204.791	161.572.00			4.320.80
1796	68.150		1.473.50	2.213.50	511.50
1797	12.546	1.959.00	63.00	2.526.10	2.226.35
1798	327.536			2.755.00	
1799	423.515				
1800	220.920			2.176.00	1.200.00
1801	54.454	15.144.50		3.464.00	1.695.50
1802	41.650	14.945.00		1.094.50	650.50
1803	66.064	15.857.50		3.004.00	1.892.50
1804	19.570	78.259.50	1.684.50	826.50	
1805	321	105.861.00	30.348.50	12.078.00	780.00
1806		419.788.00	51.531.00		
1807		525.788.00	55.160.75	16.500.00	
1808		684.300.00			
1809		702.905.00		4.471.00	
1810		638.138.00		635.50	
1811		601.832.00		6.518.00	
1812		814.029.50			
1813		620.951.50			
1814		519.537.50		42.150.00	
1815			17.308.00		

Statement of Silver Coinage in Calender Years 1793. to 1823. inclusive continued.

Periods	Dollars	Half Dollars	Quarter Dollars	Dimes	Half Dimes
1816		23.575.00	5.000.75		
1817		607.783.50			
1818		980.161.00	90.293.50		
1819		1.104.000.00	36.000.00		
1820		375.561.00	31.861.00	94.258.70	
1821		652.898.50	54.212.75	118.651.20	
1822		779.786.50	16.020.00	10.000.00	
1823		847.100.00	4.450.00	44.000.00	

Statement of Minor Coinage Calender Year. 1793. to 1823. inclusive.

Copper Coinage commenced 1st. March 1793

Period	Cents	Half Cents
1793		
1794		
1795	* 10.660.33	712.67
1796	9.744.00	577.40
1797	8.975.10	535.24
1798	9.797.00	
1799	9.045.85	60.83
1800	28.221.45	1.057.66
1801	13.628.37	
1802	34.351.00	71.83
1803	24.713.53	487.50
1804	7.568.38	5.276.56
1805	9.411.16	4.072.32
1806	3.480.00	1.780.00
1807	7.272.21	2.380.00
1808	11.090.00	2.000.00
1809	2.228.67	5.772.86
1810	14.585.00	1.075.00
1811	2.180.25	315.70
1812	10.755.00	
1813	4.180.00	
1814	3.578.00	
1815		

Statement of Minor Coinage in Calender Year - 1793 to 1823 inclusive. Continued.

Periods	Cents	Half Cents
1816	28.209.82	
1817	39.484.00	
1818	31.640.00	
1819	26.710.00	
1820	44.075.50	
1821	3.890.00	
1822	20.723.39	
1823		

Statement of Gold Coinage in Calcutta from 1857 to 1879 inclusive.

	Double Eagles	Eagles	Half Eagles	Three dollars	Quarter Eagles	Dollars
1857	8.784.500	166.060	490.940	62.673	535.325.00	774.789
1858	4.234.280	25.210	75.680	6.399	118.442.50	117.995
1859	871.940	160.930	84.070	46.914	98.610.00	168.244
1860	11.553.400	117.830	99.125	21.465	56.687.50	36.668
1861	59.529.060	1.132.330	3.199.750	18.216	3.181.295.00	527.479
1862	1.842.660	109.950	22.325	17.355	280.882.50	1.326.565
1863	2.855.800	12.480	12.360	15.117	75.00	6.250
1864	4.085.700	35.800	21.100	8.040	7.185.00	5.950
1865	7.024.000	40.050	6.475	3.495	3.862.50	3.725
1866	13.975.500	37.800	23.600	12.090	7.775.00	7.180
1867	5.024.300	31.400	34.600	7.950	8.125.00	5.250
1868	1.972.000	106.550	28.625	14.625	9.062.50	10.595
1869	3.503.100	18.550	8.925	7.675	10.862.50	5.925
1870	3.103.700	25.350	20.175	10.605	11.387.50	6.335
1871	1.603.000	17.800	16.150	3.990	13.375.00	3.930
1872	5.037.600	16.500	8.450	6.090	7.575.00	3.530
1873	34.196.500	8.250	562.525	75	445.062.50	125.125
1874	7.336.000	531.600	17.540	125.460	9.850.00	198.820
1875	5.914.800	1.200	1.100	60	1.050.00	420
1876	11.648.100	7.320	7.385	135	10.552.50	3.245
1877	7.953.400	8.170	5.760	4.464	4.130.00	3.920
1878	10.872.900	738.000	658.700	246.972	715.650.00	3.020
1879	4.152.600	3.847.700	1.509.750	9.090	222.450	3.030

Statement of Gold Coinage, in Calender Years 1880 to 1886 inclusive,

Period	Double Eagles	Eagles	Half Eagles	Three Dollars	Quarter Eagles	Dollars
1880	1.029.120.00	16.448.760.00	15.832.180.00	3.108.00	7.490.00	1.636.00
1881	45.200.00	38.772.600.	28.544.000.00	1.650.00	1.700.00	7.660.00
1882	12.600.00	23.244.800	12.572.800.00	4.620.00	10.100.00	5.040.00
1883	800.00	2.084.400	1.167.200.00	2.820.00	4.900.00	10.840.00
1884	1.420.00	769.050.	955.240.00	3.318.00	4.982.50	6.206.00
1885	16.560.00	2.535.240	3,007.580.00	2.730.00	2.217.50	12.208.00
1886	22.120.00	2.361.600	1.942.160.00	3.426.00	10.220.00	6.016.00

Type of	Trade dollars	Dollars	Half Dollars	Quarter Dollars	Dimes	Half Dimes	Three cents
1857		94.000	994.000	2.411.000.00	558.000.00	364.000.00	31.260.00
1858			2.113.000.00	1.842.000.00	154.000.00	175.000.00	48.120.00
1859		256.500	374.000.00	336.000.00	43.000.00	17.000.00	10.950.00
1860		218.930	151.850.00	201.350.00	60.700.00	39.950.00	8.610.00
1861		78.500	1.444.200.00	1.213.650.00	192.400.00	164.050.00	14.940.00
1862		12.090	126.175.00	233.137.50	84.755.00	74.627.50	10.906.50
1863		24.660	251.830.00	48.015.00	1.446.00	.923.00	.643.80
1864		31.170	189.785.00	23.517.50	3.907.00	.23.50	.14.10
1865		47.000	255.950.00	14.825.00	1.050.00	.676.00	.255.00
1866		49.625	372.812.50	4.381.25	872.60	536.25	.681.75
1867		60.325	212.162.50	5.156.25	662.80	431.25	.138.75
1868		182.700	189.100.00	7.500.00	26.625.00	4.295.00	.123.00
1869		424.300	397.950.00	4.150.00	25.660.00	10.430.00	153.00
1870		433.000	300.450.00	21.850.00	47.150.00	26.880.00	.120.00
1871		1.115.760	582.680.00	42.808.00	75.361.00	74.443.00	.127.80
1872		1.106.450	440.775.00	45.737.50	239.645.00	147.397.50	.58.50
1873	397.500	293.600	1.308.750.00	371.075.00	394.710.00	35.630.00	18.00
1874	987.800		1.180.150.00	117.975.00	294.070.00		
1875	218.900		3.013.750.00	1.073.375.00	7.940 1.035.040.00		
1876	456.150		4209.575.00	4.454.287.50	3.180 1.146.115.00		
1877	3.039.710		4.152.255.00	2.727.927.50	.102 731.051.00		
1878	900	10.509.550	689.200.00	565.200.00	.120 167.880.00		
1879	1.541	14.117.100	2.950.00	3.675.00	1.510.00		

Statement of Silver Coinage, in Calendar Years
1880 to 86. inclusive,

Periods	Trade Dollars	Dollars	Half Dollars	Quarter dollars	Dimes
1880	$1.984.	$12.601.355	4.874.50	3.738.75	3.735.50
1881	.960.	9.163.975	5.487.50	3.243.75	2.497.50
1882	1.097.	11.101.100	2.750.00	4.075.00	391.110.00
1883	.979.	12.291.039	4.519.50	3.859.75	767.574.20
1884		14.070.875	2.637.50	2.218.75	336.638.00
1885		17.787.767	3.065.00	3.632.50	253.342.70
1886		19.963.886	2.943.00	1.471.50	634.758.50

Statement of Minor Coinage, in Calender Years. 1857 to 1879. inclusive.

Periods	Five Cents	Three Cents	Two Cents	One Cent	Half Cent
1857				177.834.56	175.90
1858				246.000.00	
1859				364.000.00	
1860				205.660.00	
1861				101.000.00	
1862				280.750.00	
1863				498.400.00	
1864			396.950	529.737.14	
1865		344.460.00	272.800	364.292.86	
1866	737.12500	144.030.00	13.520	98.265.00	
1867	1.545.475.00	117.450.00	58.775	98.210.00	
1868	1.440.850.00	94.560.00	56.075	102.665.00	
1869	819.750.00	48.120.00	30.930	64.200.00	
1870	240.300.00	40.050.00	17.225	52.750.00	
1871	28.050.00	18.120.00	14.425	39.295.00	
1872	301.800.00	25.860.00	1.300	40.420.00	
1873	227.500.00	35.190.00		116.765.00	
1874	176.900.00	23.700.00		141.875.00	
1875	104.850.00	6.840.00		135.280.00	
1876	126.500.00	4.860.00		79.440.00	
1877				8.525.00	
1878	117.50	70.50		57.998.50	
1879	1.455.00	1.236.00		162.312.00	

Statement of Mineral Carriage, in Calendar Years 1880 to 1886 inclusive.

Periods	Five cents	Three cents	One cents
1880	# 997.75	# 748.65	# 389.649.55
1881	8.618.75	32.417.25	392.115.75
1882	573.830.00	759.00	385.811.00
1883	1.148.471.05	618.27	455.981.09
1884	563.694.10	169.26	282.617.42
1885	73.824.50	143.70	117.653.84
1886	166.514.50	128.70	176.542.90

Oct 26th 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir

I have the honor to enclose herewith the resignation of Jno F. A. Van Cleve, an Assistant in this Department to take effect on the 29th inst.

Very Respectfully —
Your Obt Servant —
H. L. Eckel
Coiner.

October 29th 1887

Hon Daniel M Fox
Superintendent
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to Nominate and recommend for appointment in this Department Mr Thomas Bradley, Cutter @ $2.00 per diem, to take effect upon confirmation.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. H. Steel
Coiner

October 29th 7

Hon. James A. Fox
Superintendent
Sir;

In accordance with the provisions of Section No 3504 Revised Statutes, I have the honor to nominate and recommend the appointment of Miss Rose Schrank as an Assistant in the Department @ $1200 per annum, to take effect upon confirmation, vice Mrs F.A. Van Clief, resigned.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. D. Steel
Coinco

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Nov 2nd 1887

Hon Daniel N. Fox.
Superintendent
Sir.

I have the honor to transmit herewith Statement of the Coinage of this Mint by calendar years from 1824 to 1886 inclusive, which were compiled from records found at the Post Office, together with the Statements previously forwarded. 1793 to 1823. and 1837 to 1886. Complete the Statements of the Coinage of this Institution from 1793 to 1886.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
W. E. Kretz
Coiner

Statement of Gold Coinage in Ecuador Years from 1824 to 1856

Periods	Eagles	Half Eagles	Quarter Eagles
1824		86.700	6.500
1825		145.300	11.085
1826		90.345	1.900
1827		124.565	70.000
1828		140.145	
1829		287.210	8.507.50
1830		631.755	11.350.00
1831		702.940	11.300.00
1832		784.435	11.000.00
1833		968.150	10.400.00
1834		3.660.845	293.425.00
1835		1.857.640	328.505.00
1836		2.765.730	1.369.965.00
1837		1.035.605	112.700.00
1838	72.000	1.432.940	117.575.00
1839	382.480	590.715	67.552.50
1840	473.380	686.910	47.147.50
1841	681.310	79.165	
1842	815.070	137.890	7.057.50
1843	754.620	3.056.025	251.365.00
1844	63.610	1.701.650	16.960.00
1845	261.530	2.085.495	227.627.50
1846	200.950	1.979.710	53.995.00

Statement of Gold Coinage in Calendar Years from 1824 to 1856 inclusive. Continued

Years	Double Eagles	Eagles	Half Eagles	Quarter Eagles	Three Dollars	Dollars
1847		1.632.530	4.579.905	74.535.00		
1848		64.821.840	1.303.875	22.205.00		
1849		6.516.180	666.350	58.235.00		688.567
1850	23.1105.220	2.914.500	322.455	682.304.50		481.953
1851	41.708.100	1.762.280	1.884.525	3.431.870.00		3.317.671
1852	41.060.520	2.661.060	2.569.505	2.899.202.50		2.045.351
1853	35.326.520	2.012.530	1.528.850	3.501.670.		4.076.051
1854	15.154.980	542.500	808.375	1.490 645	415.854	1.639.445
1855	7.393.320	1.214.010	585.490	588.700.	151.665	758.269
1856	6.597.560	604.900	989.950	960.600.	78.030	578.856

Statement of Silver Coinage in Calendar Years 1834 to 1856 inclusive

Periods	Dollars	Half Dollars	Quarter Dollars	Dimes	Half Dimes
1824		# 1.753.244.			
1825		1.471.583.00	# 42.000.00	# 51.000.00	
1826		3.002.090.00			
1827		2.746.700.00	1.000.00	121.500.00	
1828		1.537.600.00	25.500.00	12.500.00	
1829		1.856.078.00		77.000.00	# 61.500.00
1830		2.382.400.00		51.000.00	62.000.00
1831		2.936.830.00	99.500.00	77.135.00	62.135.00
1832		2.398.500.00	80.000.00	62.250.00	48.250.00
1833		2.603.000.00	39.000.00	48.500.00	68.500.00
1834		3.206.002.00	71.500.00	63.500.00	74.000.00
1835		2.646.003.00	488.000.00	141.000.00	108.010.00
1836	# 1.000.00	3.293.100.00	118.000.00	119.000.00	95.000.00
1837		1.814.910.00	68.100.00	104.200.00	113.800.00
1838		1.993.000.00	208.000.00	199.250.00	112.750.00
1839	300	1.664.280.00	122.486.50	105.311.50	53.457.50
1840	61.005.	414.504.00	47.031.75	135.858.00	64.204.25
1841	173.000	155.000.00	30.000.00	162.250.00	57.500.00
1842	184.618.00	1.006.382.00	22.000.00	188.750.00	40.750.00
1843	165.100.00	1.922.000.00	161.400.00	137.000.00	58.250.00
1844	20.000.00	883.000.00	883.000.00	7.250.00	21.500.00
1845	24.500.00	294.500.00	230.500.00	175.500.00	78.200.00
1846	110.600.00	1.105.000.00	127.500.00	3.130.00	1.350.00

Statement of the Coinage in Calendar Years
1824 to 18[illegible] inclusive, Continued

Years	Dollars	Half dolls	Quarter dolls	Dimes	Half dimes	Three Cents
1847	140.750.00	578.000.00	184.500.00	24.500.00	66.700.00	
1848	15.000.00	290.000.00	36.800.00	45.150.00	33.400.00	
1849	62.600.00	626.000.00	88.000.00	83.900.00	65.450.00	
1850	7.[illegible]	116.500.00	47.700.00	192.150.00	47.750.00	
1851	1.300.00	100.875.00	40.000.00	102.610.00	39.180.00	163.422.00
1852	1.[illegible]	38.565.00	144.265.00	153.550.00	50.026.00	559.905.00
1853	46.[illegible]	1.766.354.00	2.816.656.00	1.214.301.00	667.251.00	342.000.00
1854	33.140.00	1.491.000.00	2.096.000.00	1[illegible]	254.000.00	20.180.00
1855	26.000.00	879.750.00	714.250.00	204.500.00	57.500.00	4.140.00
1856	68.500.00	1169.000.00	1.816.000.00	571.[illegible]	211.000.00	43.740.00

Statement of Minor Drawbacks Calendar Years 1824 to 1856, inclusive.

Periods	Cents	Half Cents
1824	$ 12.620.00	
1825	14.611.00	315.00
1826	15.174.25	1.170.00
1827	23.677.32	
1828	22.606.24	3.030.00
1829	14.145.00	2.435.00
1830	17.115.00	
1831	38.592.60	11.00
1832	23.620.00	
1833	27.390.00	770.00
1834	18.551.00	600.00
1835	38.784.00	705.00
1836	21.110.00	1.990.00
1837	56.583.00	
1838	63.702.00	
1839	31.286.61	
1840	24.624.00	
1841	15.973.67	
1842	23.833.90	
1843	24.283.20	
1844	23.984.52	
1845	38.948.04	
1846	41.208.00	

Periods	Cents	Half Cents
1847	$ 61.836.67	
1848	64.157.99	
1849	41.785.00	199.32
1850	44.286.44	199.06
1851	98.597.04	738.36
1852	50.630.94	
1853	66.411.31	646.44
1854	42.384.56	246.79
1855	15.748.29	282.50
1856	26.906.63	202.15

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Nov 2nd 1887

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
Sir

I have the honor to transmit herewith statements of the Coinage of this Mint by Calendar years from 1824 to 1886 inclusive, which were compiled from the records a portion of which had been for years lying loose in the Loft and other places in the Mint, and removed to the Post Office Storage Room by you, together with the statements previously forwarded 1793 to 1823, and 1837 to 1886. Completing the Statements of the Coinage of this Institution from 1793 to 1886.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant.
W. E. Leech
Coiner.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.
COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

A plan, which has been successfully executed, whereby the overcrowded condition of the room has diminished, and the facilities for the work increased.

The space in the adjoining room formerly occupied by the Wardrobes has been utilized by placing two extra tables with 42 additional Scales; thereby increasing the latter to 142. The adjoining room proper is now free from all former obstructions, and is a bright and cheerful place suited for the delicate Manipulation of the Blanks.

The new room was formally occupied February 1st last; is 40×53 feet, well lighted and ventilated by 12 Windows and is approached from the lower floor by a broad and convenient Stairway 5 feet in width; This addition affords the necessary space for the Ladies closets &c, — 158 Wardrobes [illegible]

Sanitary Closets in addition are placed on the north portion, Seven Stationary Marble Wash Stands with a large mirror over the latter are ranged on the west side of the room, a Cooking range insures accommodations for preparing a hot lunch, Sixteen dining tables are supplied for the convenience of the ladies, While formerly owing to the limited Condition of the accommodations, many of them of necessity had to resort to temporary places whereon they could find them, such as mean Silk boarders, for place to place their dishes at time of luncheon.

At the close of the fiscal Year, necessary repairs were made to the Machinery, the annealing furnaces overhauled and retubed, and thorough and careful review made of the needs of the department. Great improvement could doubtless

to make in the operations in the Rolling room, by substituting rolls of improved modern invention, instead of the antiquated machinery now in use, whereby better results might be accomplished.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. J. Steel
Boiler

Coinage executed at the U.S. Mint, Philadelphia during the last Six months of the Calender Year 1856.

Denomination	no. of Pieces	Value
Half Eagles	6,008	$ 30,040
Quarter do	60,900	152,250
Silver Dollars	1066,906	1,066,906
Half Dollars	46,000	23,000
Quarter do	1624,000	456,000
Dimes	3,400,000	340,000
½ Dimes	1,700,000	85,000
3¢ Silver Pieces	736,800 7360	22,080
Copper Cents	1488709	14887.09
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